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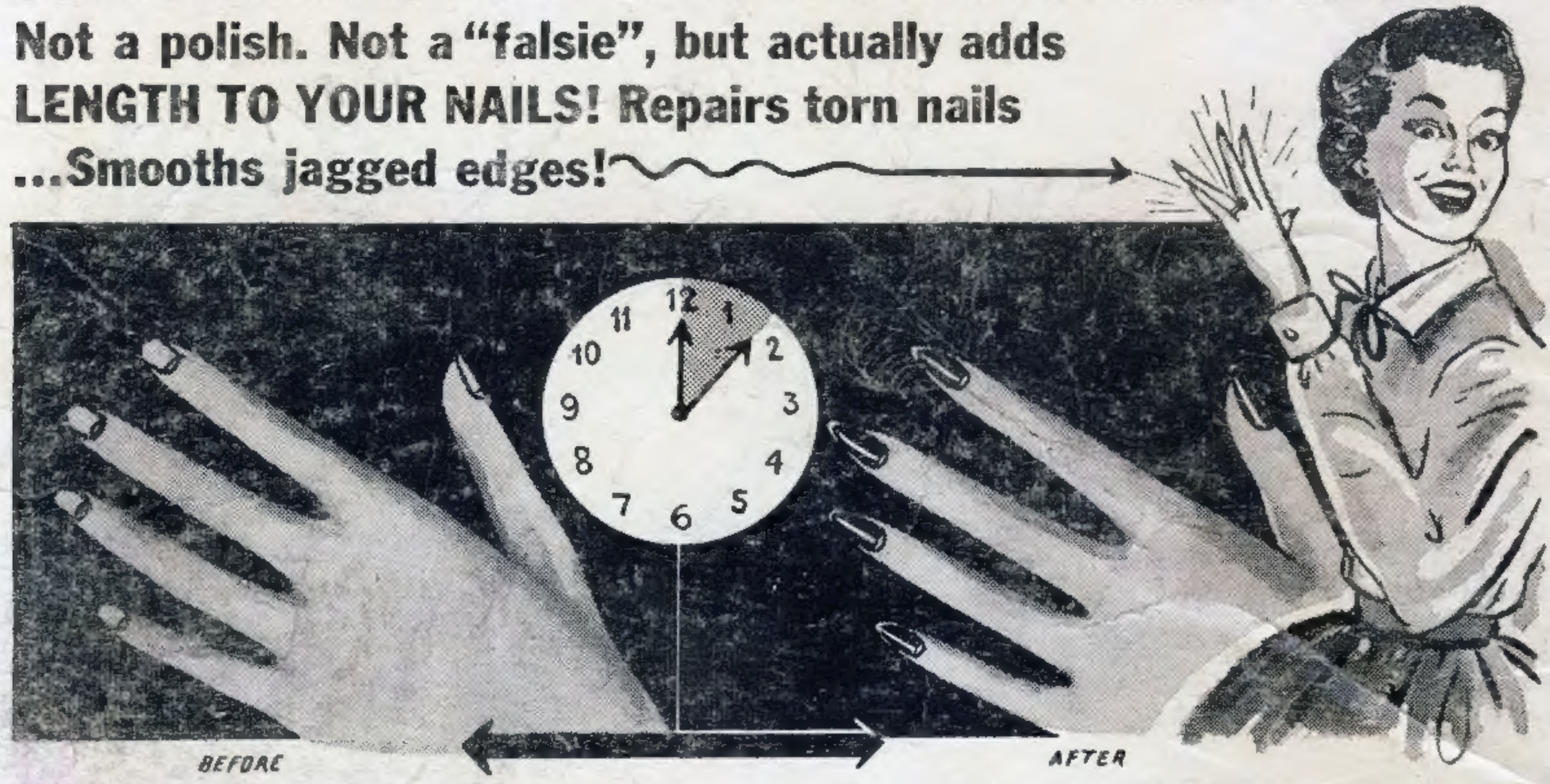

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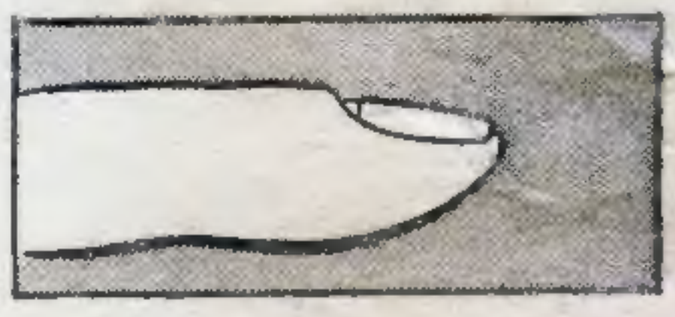

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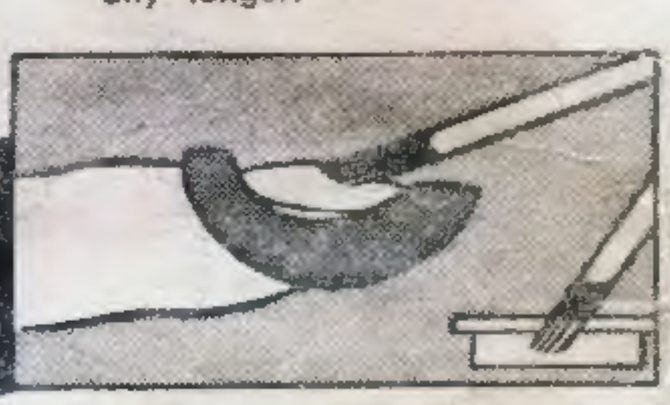

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Because I Love You

WHEN HE SLIPPED THE ENGAGEMENT RING ON MY FINGER, I THOUGHT HE UNDERSTOOD MY DEEPEST FEELINGS ...BUT HE DIDN'T, AND THAT LEFT ME WITH A SPARKLING RING AND AN EMPTY HEART!

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WE'RE HOME, CINDERELLA, AND BEFORE THE STROKE OF TWELVE!

DATING YOU, BOB, IS LIKE LIVING IN THE MIDDLE OF A FAIRY TALE!

BOB, MUCH AS I ENJOYED IT, YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO TAKE ME HOME IN A CARRIAGE! A BUS WOULD HAVE GOTTEN US HERE, TOO!

BUT NOT IN THE RIGHT STYLE, JANIS! AND DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE COST... MY BUSINESS IS DOING WELL! WHAT'S THE USE OF MAKING MONEY, IF I CAN'T SPEND IT ON SOMEONE LIKE YOU!

SEE YOU TWO NIGHTS FROM NOW!

I'D SEE YOU *EVERY* NIGHT, BOB, IF YOU WANTED ME TO!

I WAS HEAD OVER HEELS IN LOVE WITH BOB! AND I KNEW DESPITE THE DAZZLING, LUXURIOUS PLACES HE TOOK ME TO, IT WAS BOB AND NOT THE SETTING, I LOVED...

IT LOOKS ROMANTIC, BUT I DON'T THINK WE CAN HEAR THE MUSIC OUT HERE!

I DON'T WANT TO HEAR MUSIC... I JUST WANT TO HEAR YOUR *ANSWER* TO A QUESTION!

WHEN YOU'RE IN BUSINESS, YOU LEARN TO COME TO DECISIONS AFTER A LOT OF THINKING! BUT I CAME TO ONE THE VERY FIRST TIME WE MET... I WANTED *YOU* TO BE MY *WIFE!*

OH, BOB, WITH ALL MY HEART... *YES!*

OUR LIPS MET, PLEDGING OUR HEARTS TO ALL ETERNITY...

LET ME SLIP THIS ON, BEFORE YOU CHANGE YOUR MIND!

OH, BOB! I NEVER SAW SUCH A BEAUTIFUL RING!

BUT, DARLING, YOU *DIDN'T* HAVE TO BUY ME THE *BIGGEST* DIAMOND IN TOWN! YOU SPEND *TOO MUCH* ON ME...

AND I'LL KEEP ON SPENDING... KNOWING I CAN BUY YOU SOME PLEASURE, MAKES WORKING WORTHWHILE!

ABOUT A WEEK LATER, I NOTICED BOB LOOKING WORRIED, BUT HE WOULDN'T TELL ME WHAT WAS TROUBLING HIM! THEN ONE DAY I DIALED HIS OFFICE...

SORRY, BUT THAT NUMBER HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED!

THERE MUST BE SOME *MISTAKE!*

BUT THE LOOK ON BOB'S FACE THAT EVENING TOLD ME IT WAS NO ERROR...

BOB, YOUR PHONE...

YOU DON'T NEED A PHONE WHEN YOU'RE *OUT OF BUSINESS!*

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

MY COMPETITORS WERE WAITING AND WHEN I COULDN'T PAY UP SOME OVER-DUE NOTES, I WAS CLOSED DOWN!

IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE! A WEEK AGO...

I WAS ON TOP... NOW I'M BANKRUPT! THAT'S HOW IT GOES IN MY TYPE OF BUSINESS! BOOM OR BUST!

YOU MAY BE DOWN, BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE OUT! YOU CAN GET RIGHT BACK TO WHERE YOU WERE!

THAT'S WHAT HAPPENS IN THE MOVIES! BUT IT DOESN'T WORK THAT WAY IN REAL LIFE! RIGHT NOW, NO ONE WOULD WANT TO BACK ME!

I'LL BACK YOU AGAINST ANY-ONE IN THE WORLD! BECAUSE I LOVE YOU!

DON'T, JANIS... IT ONLY MAKES IT HURT MORE!

I PRESSED MY LIPS TO HIS BUT BOB'S KISS TOLD ME HIS HEART WASN'T IN IT! SOMEHOW, OUR LOVE WAS DYING...

WHILE BOB LOOKED FOR WORK, I'D ARRANGE FOR US TO GO VISITING, HAVE FRIENDS OVER FOR CARDS, ANYTHING TO KEEP HIM FROM SPENDING MONEY ON ME...

WHY'D YOU LEAVE THE TABLE, BOB?

IT'S NOT RIGHT, JANIS! WE SHOULD BE GOING OUT AGAIN... THE WAY WE DID BEFORE!

DESPITE ALL MY PLEAS, BOB DIDN'T BELIEVE THAT I WAS HAPPY JUST BEING WITH HIM!

BOB'S HANDWRITING! SOMEHOW, I'M AFRAID TO OPEN IT...

DEAR JANIS... BY THE TIME YOU READ THIS, I'LL BE IN ANOTHER CITY! I'M GOING TO TRY TO START OVER AGAIN THERE! IT MAY TAKE QUITE A WHILE BEFORE I GET BACK TO WHERE I WAS! I THINK IT IS ONLY FAIR TO RELEASE YOU FROM OUR ENGAGEMENT...

HE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND I ***STILL*** LOVE HIM... WITH OR WITHOUT THE MONEY FOR THE GOOD TIMES HE SHOWED ME!

NO ANSWER AT HIS APARTMENT! HE'S REALLY LEFT!

MY WORDS DIDN'T SEEM TO HAVE ANY EFFECT ON BOB! IF I COULD PROVE I LOVE HIM!

THEN A FAINT HOPE CROSSED MY MIND! I HURRIED TO BOB'S SISTER'S HOME...

BOB MUST HAVE DISCUSSED HIS PLANS WITH YOU, KAREN! ***WHERE*** IS BOB?

SORRY, JANIS... HE MADE ME PROMISE ***NOT*** TO TELL YOU!

I DON'T WANT TO WRITE TO HIM... I WANT TO GO TO BOB! **THAT** MIGHT CONVINCE HIM HOW WRONG HE WAS TO TRY TO GIVE ME UP!

YOU WIN! I TRIED TO TELL HIM HE DIDN'T UNDERSTAND YOU... HERE'S HOPING **YOU** HAVE BETTER LUCK!

I FOUND BOB'S NAME PRINTED ON THE DOOR OF A JUNIOR EXECUTIVE'S OFFICE IN A BIG OUT-OF-TOWN FIRM AND I FLUNG OPEN THE DOOR...

JANIS!

DID YOU THINK YOU COULD HIDE FROM ME FOR VERY LONG, DARLING?

IT'S GREAT SEEING YOU... BUT **WHY** DID YOU COME?

TO FIND OUT WHY YOU TRIED TO WALK OUT ON ME!

WHEN THE BOTTOM FELL OUT OF THINGS, I KNEW IT WASN'T FAIR TO TRY TO DRAG YOU DOWN WITH ME! A WELL-TO-DO MAN PROPOSED TO YOU... WHY SHOULD YOU MEET A PAUPER AT THE ALTAR?

FOR JUST ONE REASON... I **LOVE** YOU!

I KNEW YOU ENJOYED TAKING ME TO THE BEST PLACES! BUT WHAT REALLY MATTERED WAS THAT I WAS WITH YOU! YOUR SET-BACK **DIDN'T** CHANGE THE WAY I FELT! I KNOW YOU'LL BE BACK ON TOP AGAIN, BECAUSE I **LOVE** YOU!

BOB PULLED ME CLOSE AND I KNEW THEN THAT HE UNDERSTOOD! NO LONGER WOULD A FOOLISH SENSE OF GUILT COME BETWEEN US!

MR. STORM, PLEASE GO TO MR. WINAT'S OFFICE!

TIME AND PLACE LOST THEIR MEANING! ALL THAT MATTERED WAS THAT WE WERE TOGETHER AGAIN...

HEY, THE BOSS CALLED TO TELL YOU ABOUT YOUR **PROMOTION!** THE WAY YOU'RE GOING OFF... YOU'D THINK YOU'D GOTTEN A **BETTER OFFER!**

The End

Always Yours!

WHEN Victoria moved next door ten years ago, I was just a freckled-faced kid with skinny legs and a yearning to be a cow poke. And Victoria—she was the prettiest little girl I had ever seen. She was shy then and nobody would have guessed she would blossom into the most beautiful bundle of whistle-appeal in our town.

But that's how things go. You never know what's going to happen. At our high school graduation dance, Vicki danced exclusively with me. She wouldn't even let Roger Baker cut in, and any girl in the senior class would have given her newly acquired diploma for the privilege of dancing with Jamestown's one and only football star to end his career unbeaten.

After the dance that night, I asked Victoria to become officially engaged to me.

"And four years isn't as long as it sounds," I added, my heart pounding with fear that she might refuse.

"But, Johnny, we're both too young to be tied down. Goodness, you haven't even dated anyone but me for five years. It wouldn't be fair to you and . . ."

"You mean it wouldn't be fair to *you*, don't you, Vicki," I interrupted. "I know. You're the one going to college, not I. You're right . . . it wouldn't be fair to ask you not to have the kind of college life other girls have. I'm selfish, completely selfish because I love you so much," I said, clenching my fists. It was hard to let her go like this, knowing she would meet plenty of fellows with money who could give her the kind of life she was accustomed to.

That had always been the big barrier between Vicki and me. She was Victoria Sandford whose father made a fortune during the war. Gerald Sandford bought the Pickens place up on the hill and when Vicki moved away from Garden Street she moved to another planet, at least insofar as I was considered proper husband material. Although Vicki never breathed a word about it, I knew she had been asked, if not ordered, to break off our relationship.

But that shy little girl with the coal black pigtails had a will of her own. I looked at her now, with a mass of shiny, black ringlets framing her small face. She returned my intense gaze with those large violet eyes that had made every male heart in Jamestown take a double flip.

"I suppose you're thinking the same old nonsense, aren't you?" she asked, looking as stern as her cameo beauty would allow.

"What am I supposed to do? Ask you to spend the rest of your life in a duplex with a mechanic for a husband?" I retorted.

"There's the scholarship," she insisted.

"I can't take it and you know it. Somebody's got to pay for Jimmy's operations and I've been elected. Oh, look, Vicki, let's not talk about it any more. When you come back, if you come back, I'll be waiting," I said and gathered her into my arms, holding her tightly as though it would help press the ache out of my chest.

That was a year ago. The longest year of mere existence I hope ever to have. Watching my brother get well helped, and going to night school cut down the number of hours left to think about Vicki. Did she still feel the same? She said so in her letters, but they were getting more and more infrequent.

When June came I met the reason for Vicki's lax correspondence. His name was Carlton — Carlton Richard Thorndike, III, fresh out of prep school and fresh out of good manners. He wore his snobbery like his school tie, a badge of supposed distinction and superiority.

I wish Vicki had waited until I got the grease off my face before introducing us, but with her usual impulsiveness she just turned up with him, sitting like a Great Dane next to her in the car.

"Hi, Johnny!" she called. "Where are you?"

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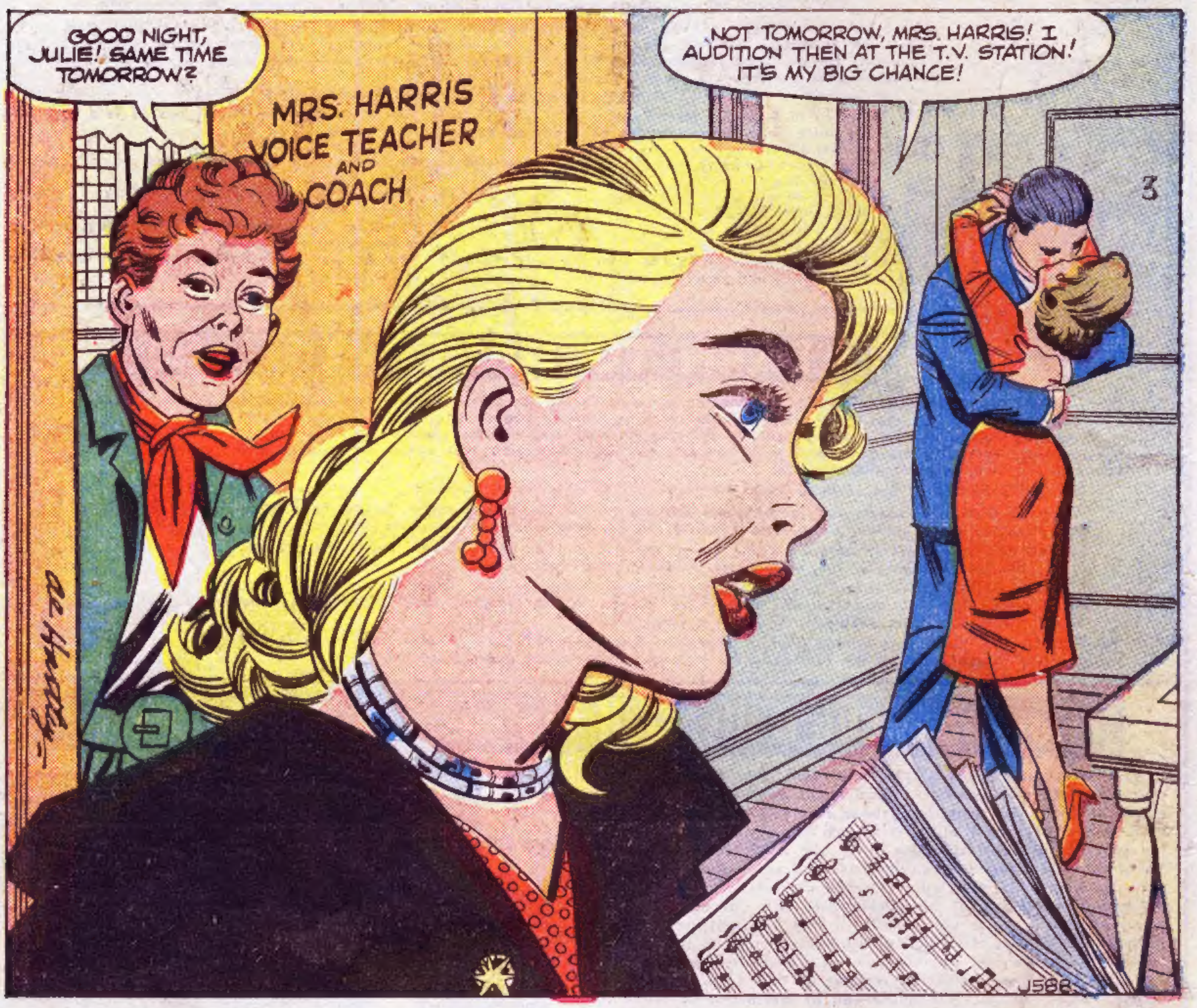
I HAD ONLY ONE THOUGHT IN LIFE...ONE DREAM, ONE GOAL! NOTHING ELSE MATTERED BUT MY CAREER AS A SINGER! AND SO I MADE PLANS AND PLOTTED MY COURSE! HOW WAS I TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENS...

WHEN YOU FALL IN LOVE!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MRS. HARRIS VOICE TEACHER AND COACH
NOT TOMORROW, MRS. HARRIS! I AUDITION THEN AT THE T.V. STATION! IT'S MY BIG CHANCE!
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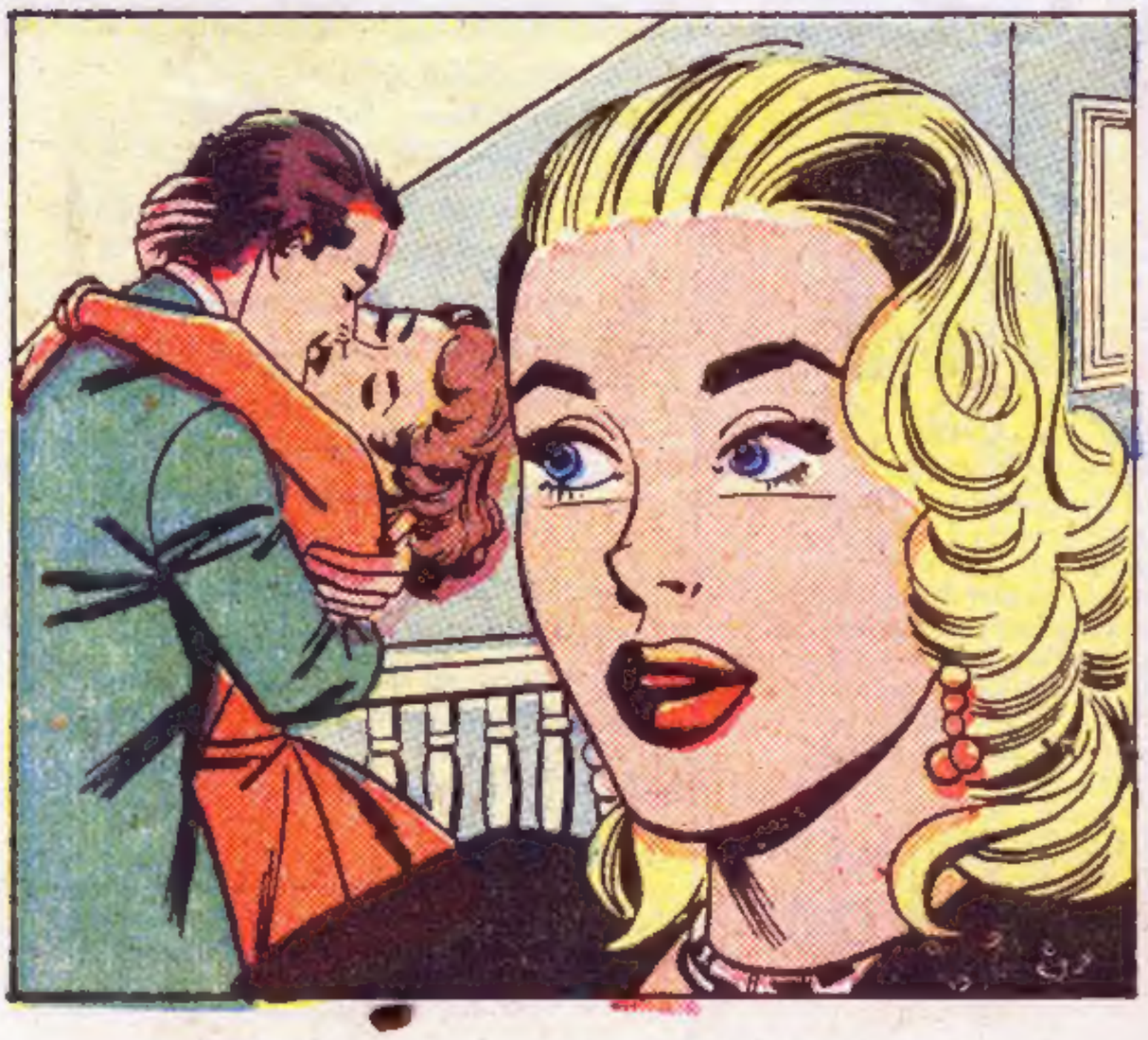
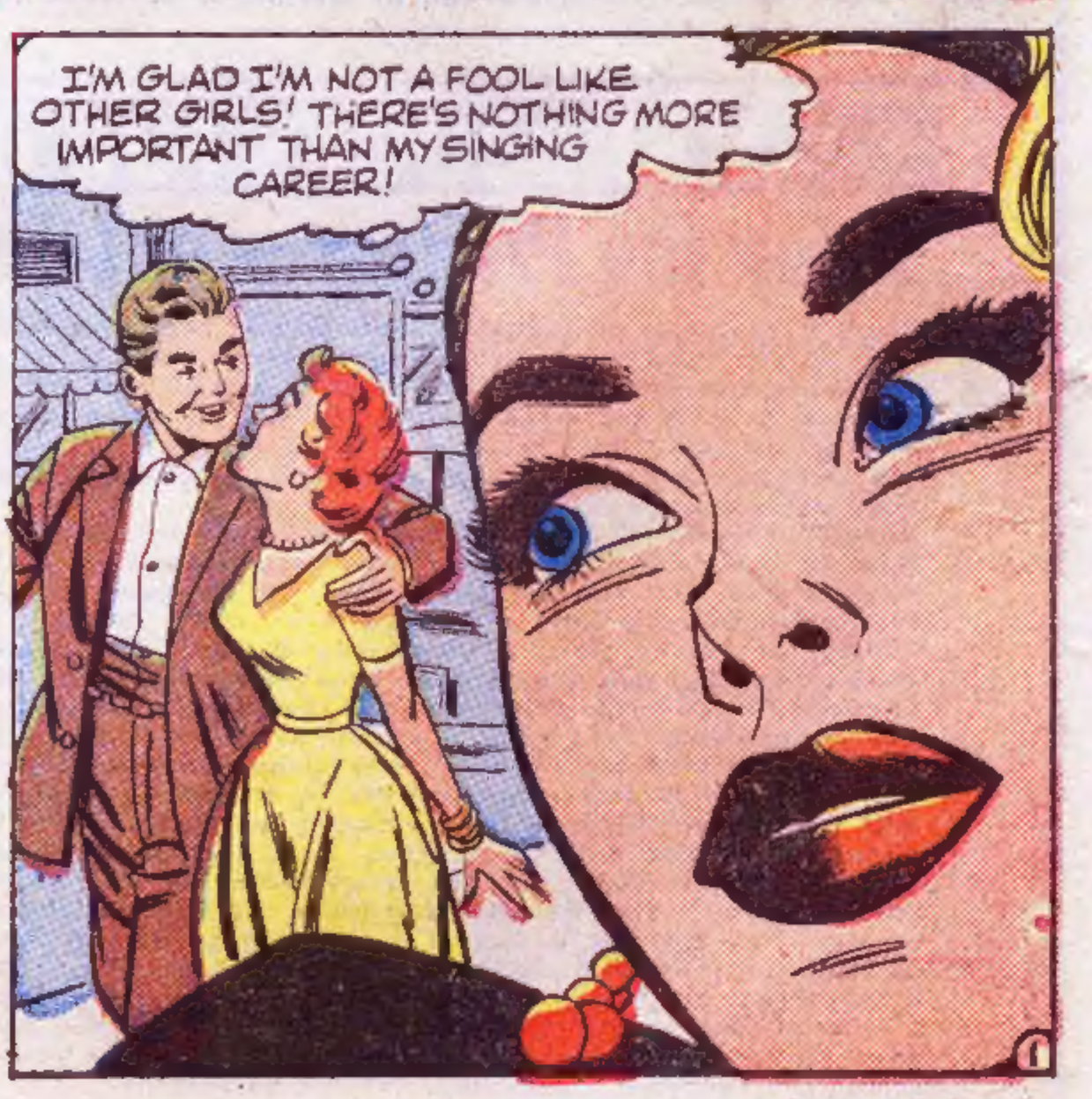
WHILE OTHER GIRLS MET BOYS AND FELL IN LOVE, I STUDIED MY SINGING! THAT WAS ALL THAT MATTERED TO ME! I WASN'T GOING TO WASTE MY LIFE LIKE THIS!





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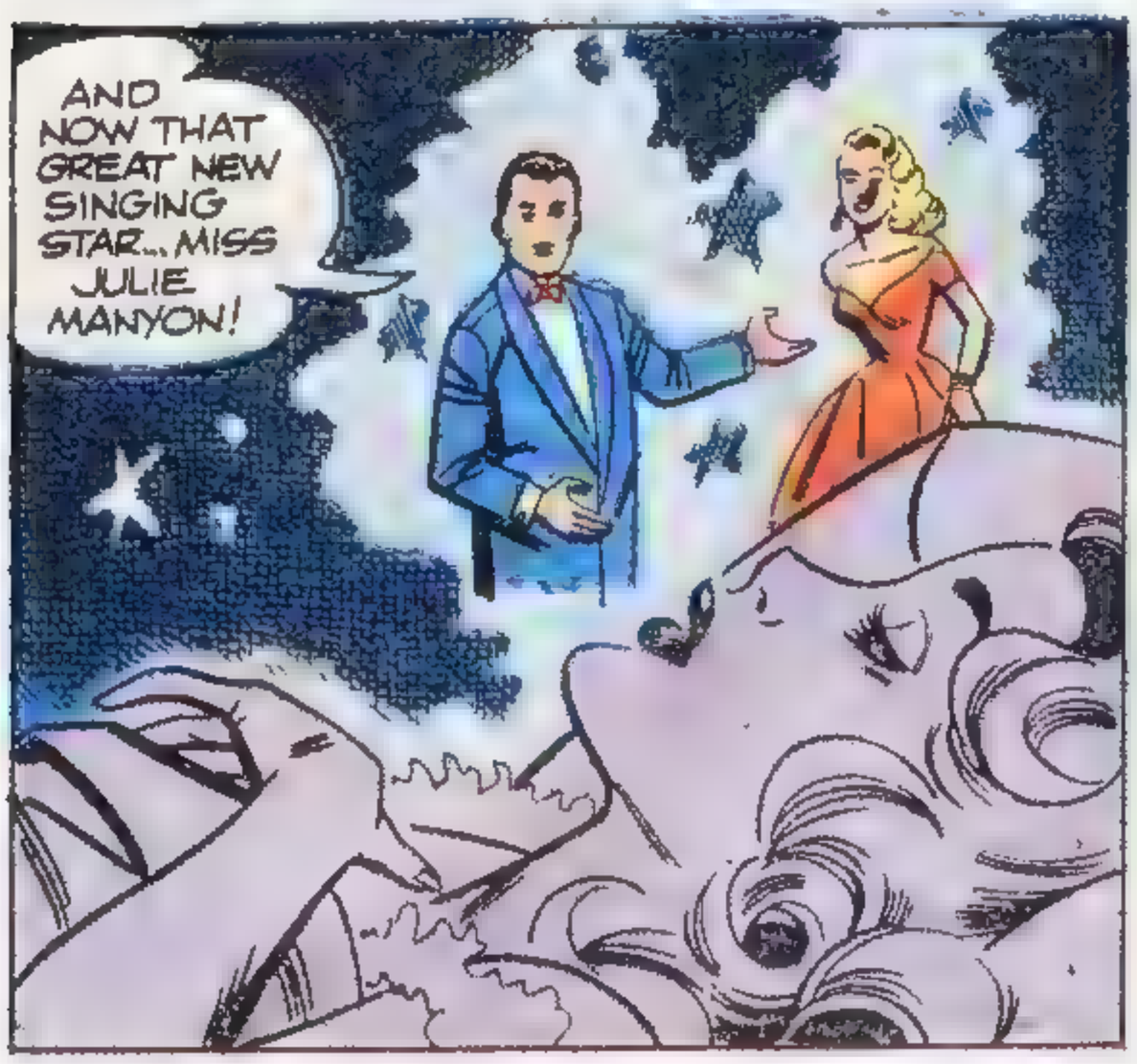
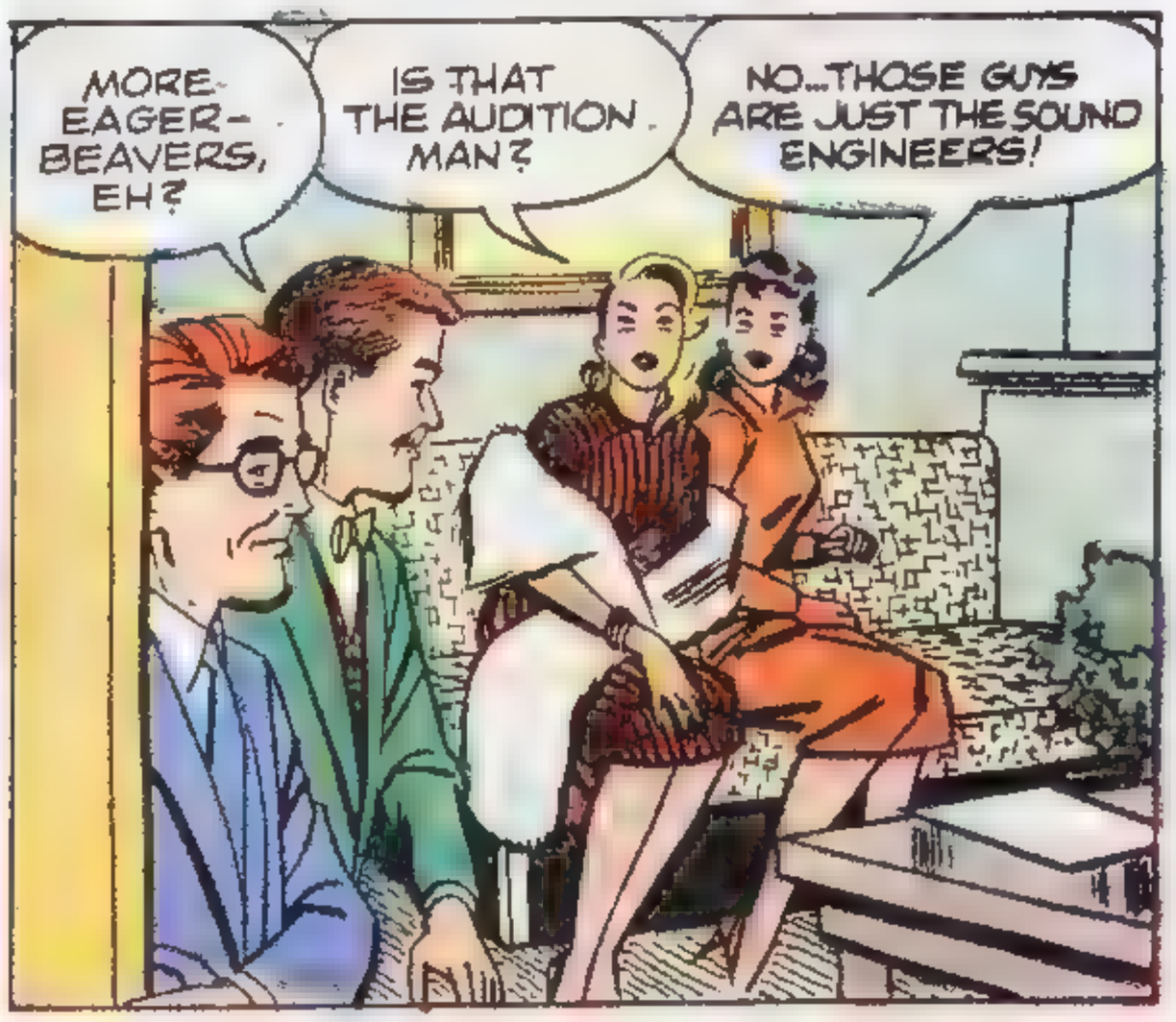


THE NEXT DAY, I COULDN'T WAIT FOR MY APPOINTMENT AT THE STUDIO! I WAS THERE A HALF-HOUR EARLY, ALONG WITH OTHER ASPIRANTS...



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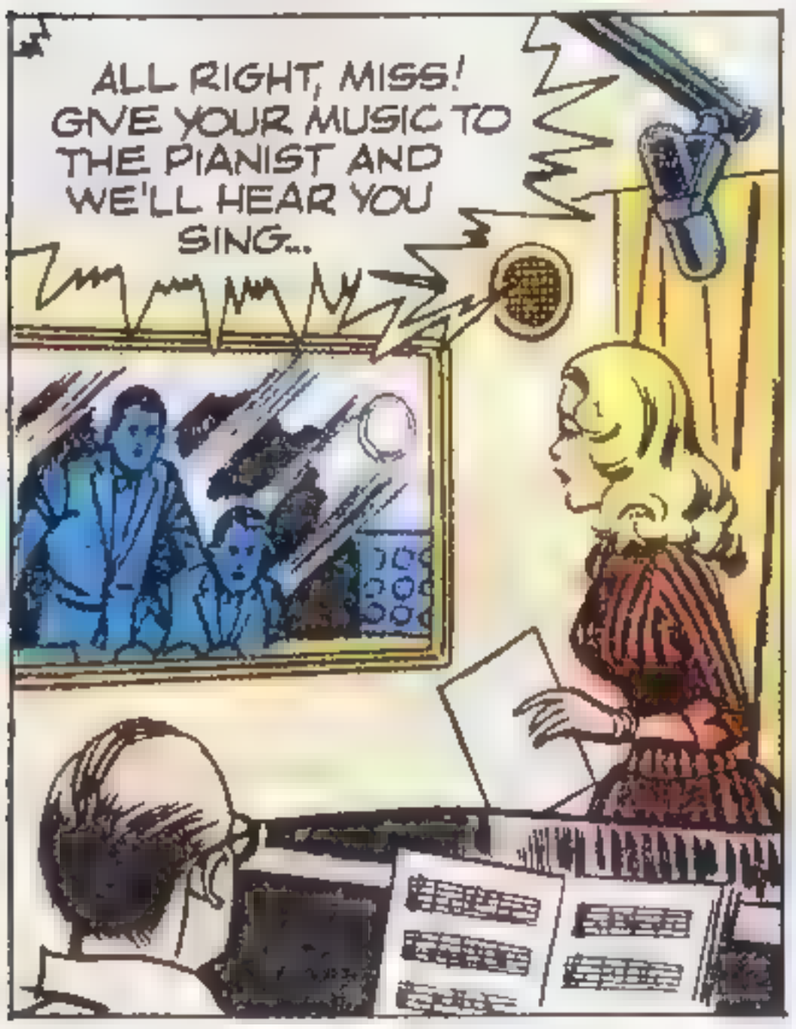
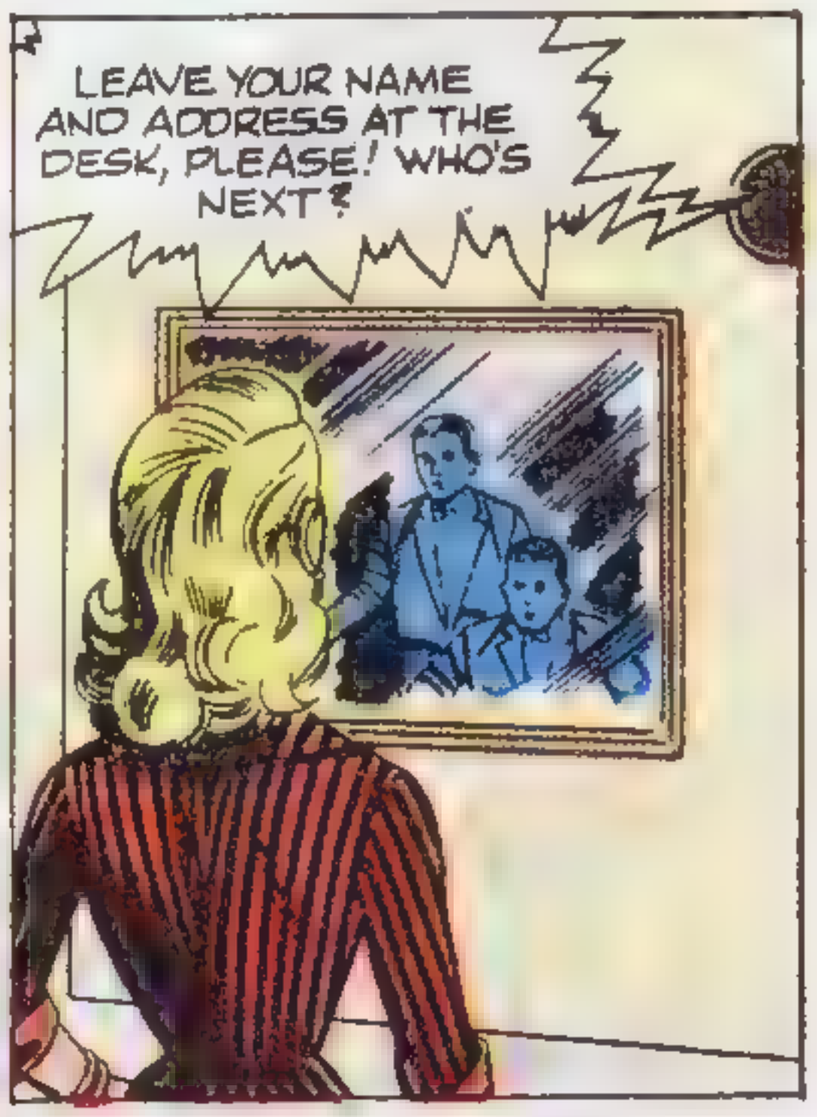
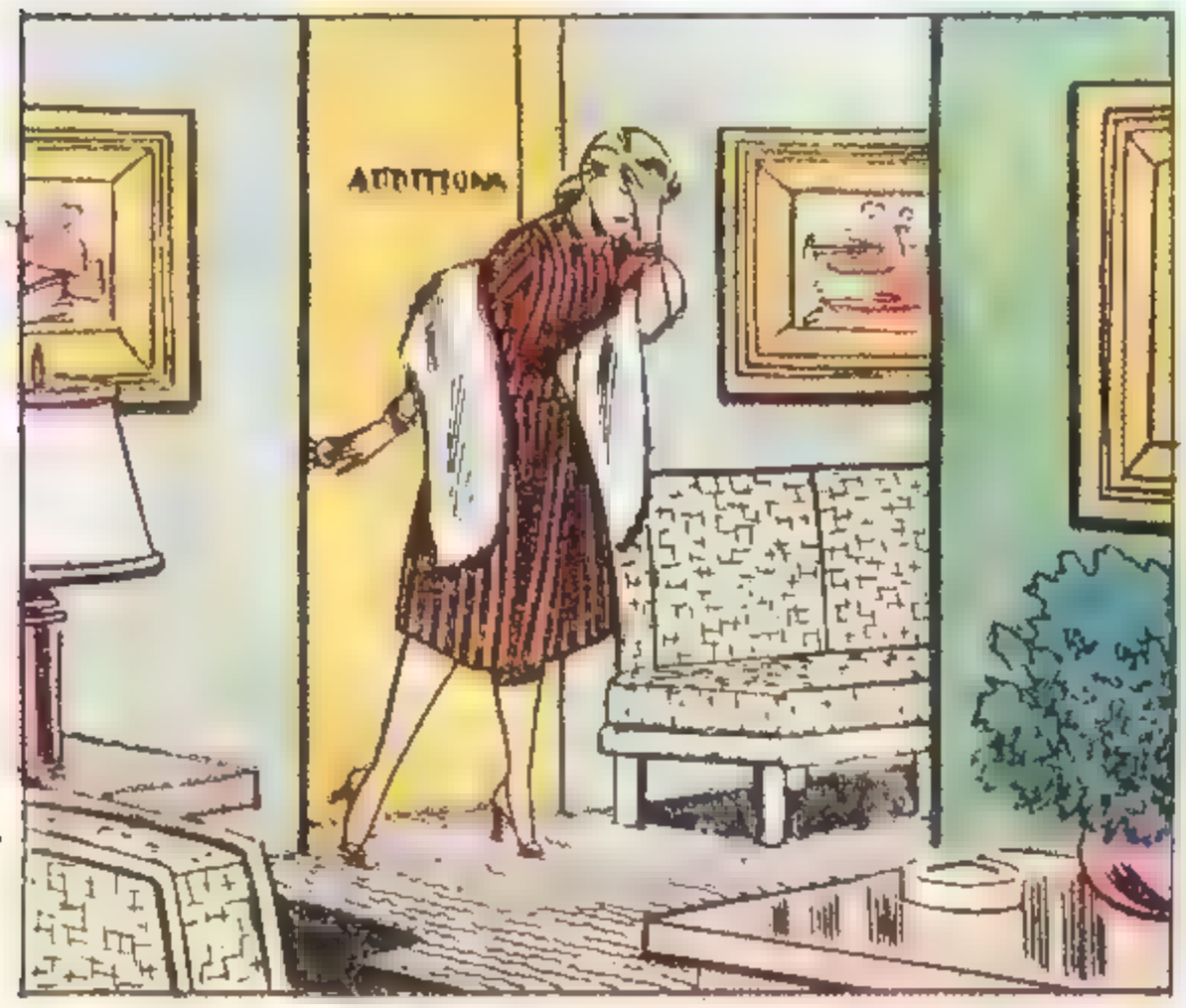


THIS WAS MY CHANCE! I SANG FOR ALL I WAS WORTH...

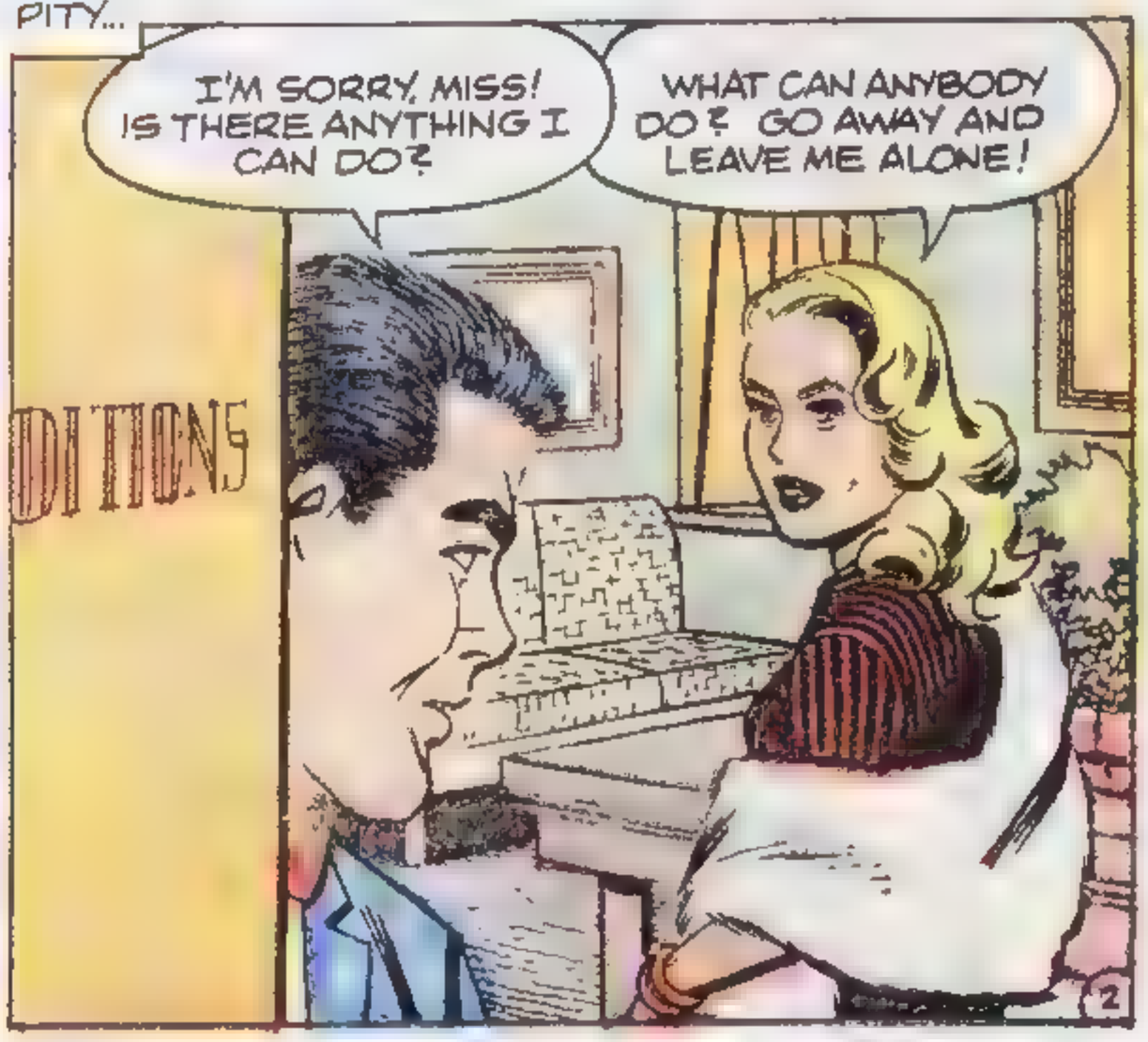
THEN IT WAS OVER AND I WAITED.



I KNEW WHAT THAT MEANT! I HAD FAILED! ALL MY HARD WORK AND AMBITION... AND I WAS DISMISSED WITH A "DON'T CALL US, WE'LL CALL YOU," ROUTINE! I RUSHED OUTSIDE IN TEARS!



AND THEN I HEARD A VOICE... THE ONE THAT HAD BEEN SO DERIDING EARLIER, TENDER NOW AND FILLED WITH PITY...



MAYBE I COULD TELL YOU WHERE YOU MISSED OUT! CAN WE HAVE COFFEE TOGETHER?

OH, WOULD YOU HELP ME? YOU'VE BEEN AROUND SINGERS A LOT.. YOU ***MUST*** KNOW!

AND OVER COFFEE, HE TOLD ME...

YOUR VOICE IS FINE... BUT THERE'S NO ***FEELING*** TO IT... NO EMOTION! LISTEN, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN LOVE?

LOVE? WHO'S GOT TIME FOR SUCH NONSENSE?

WELL, NONSENSE OR NOT, IT TEACHES YOU TO SING WITH FEELING!

I'VE NEVER BEEN IN LOVE AND NEVER EXPECT TO BE! SINGING'S MY WHOLE LIFE! NOTHING ELSE MATTERS!

I'D LIKE TO HELP SOME MORE! COACH YOU ON "MIKE" TECHNIQUE! MY NAME'S CARL HASTINGS!

MINE'S JULIE MANYON! I'D APPRECIATE IT IF YOU ***COULD*** COACH ME, CARL!

AND HE ***DID*** HELP ME A LOT! HE RIGGED UP A MIKE FOR ME AT HOME AND SHOWED ME HOW TO SING TO IT...

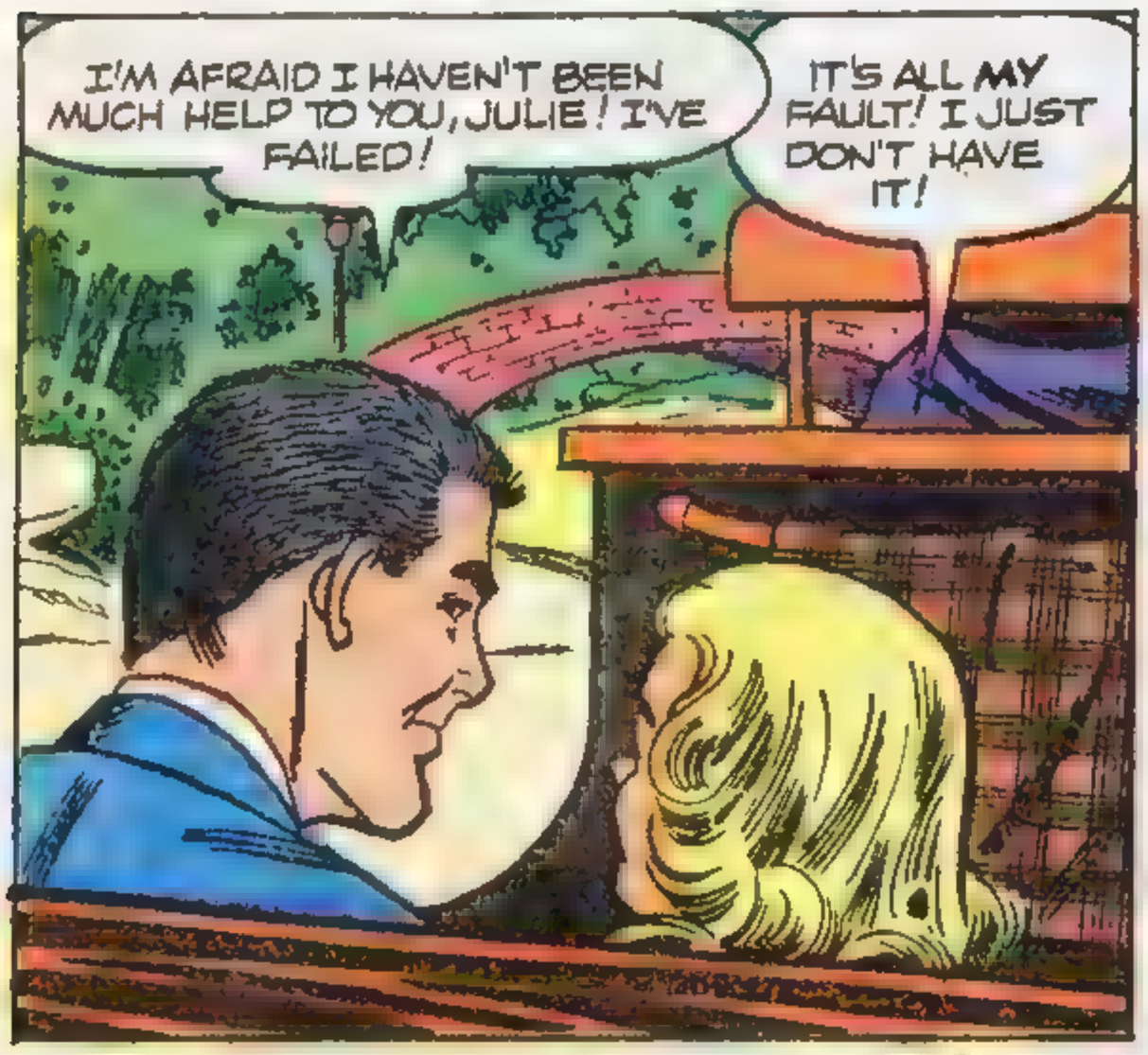
BUT I COULD TELL BY JUST LOOKING AT CARL THAT I STILL DIDN'T HAVE IT... THAT MY SINGING WAS COLD...

PAY NO ATTENTION TO THE "MIKE", JULIE! LET THE ENGINEERS PICK UP AND CONTROL THE VOLUME! JUST SING AS IF YOU WERE SINGING TO YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

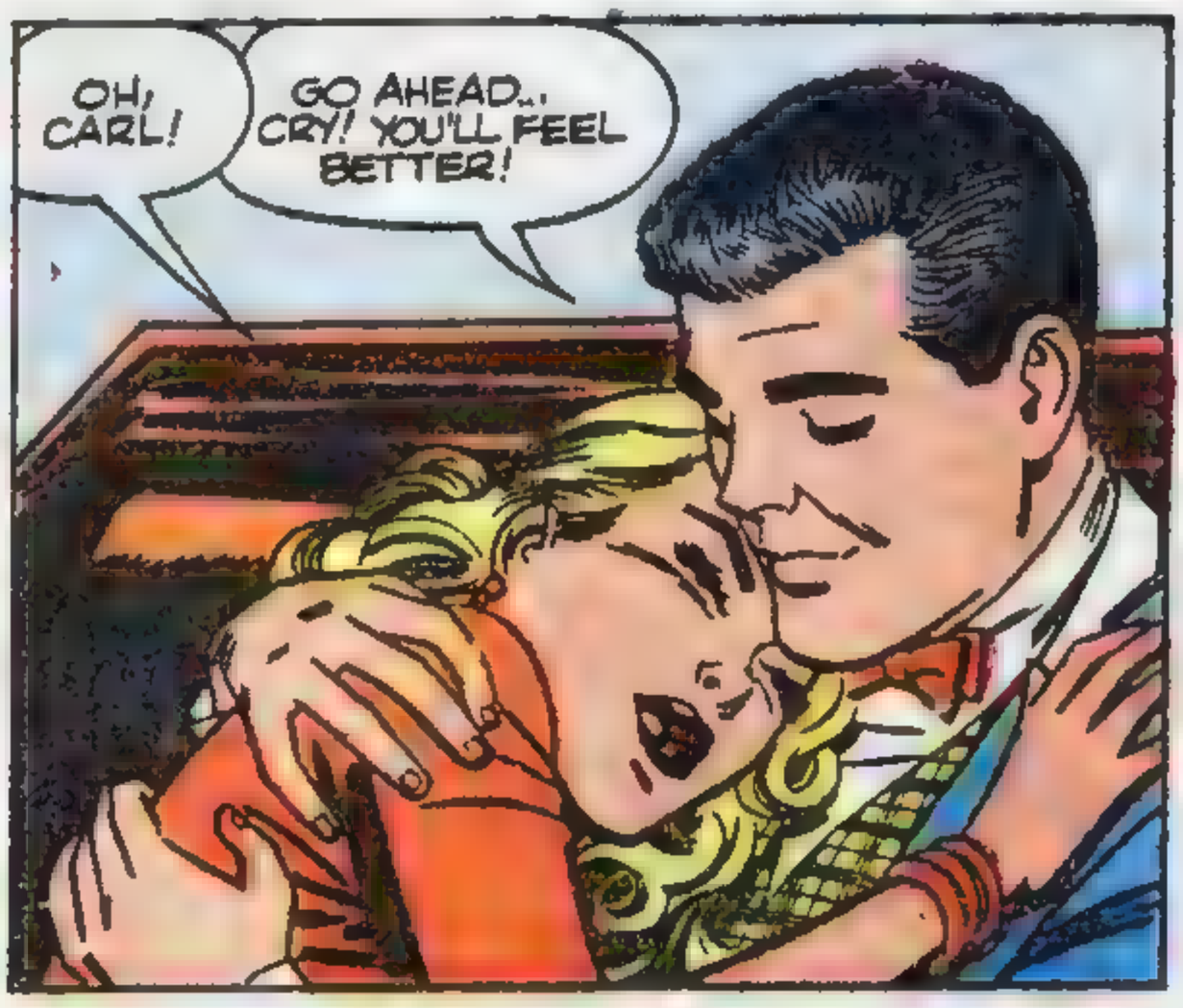
ALL RIGHT, CARL!

IF SHE ONLY HAD ***FEELING*** TO MATCH HER VOICE.. BUT SHE ***HASN'T!***

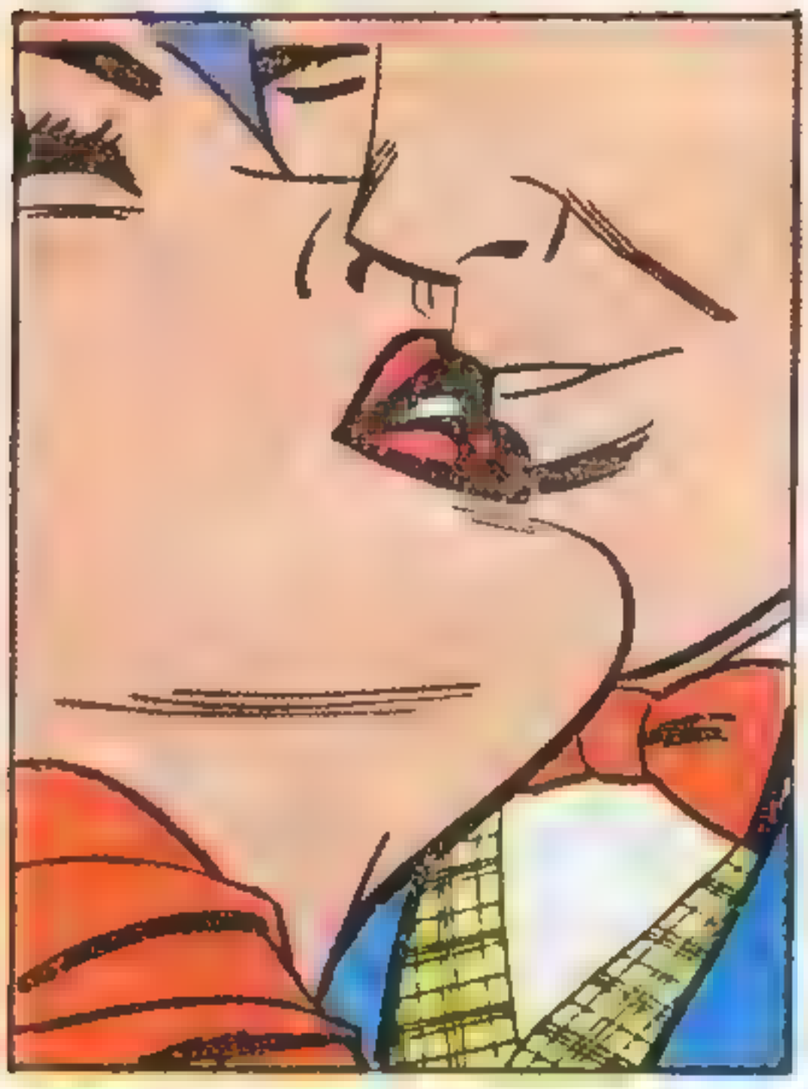
ONE DAY, AFTER WORKING VERY HARD, HE TOOK ME FOR A DRIVE IN CENTRAL PARK...



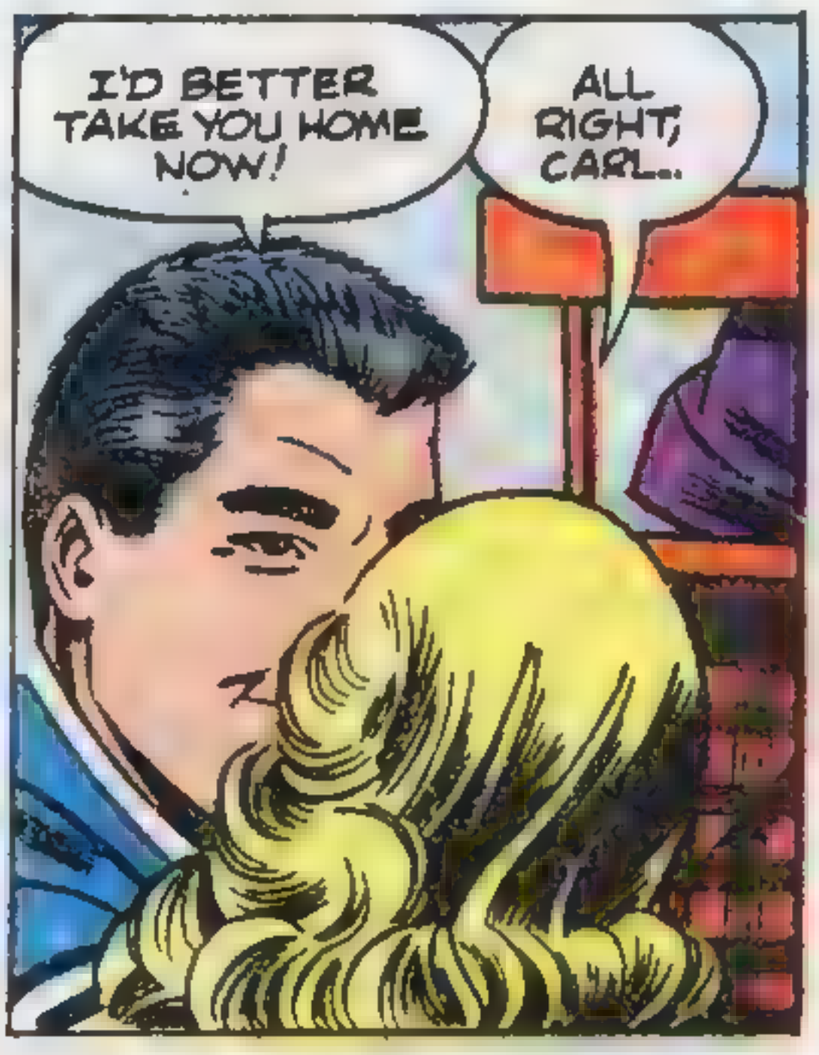
SUDDENLY I WAS IN TEARS, AND JUST AS SUDDENLY, I WAS IN HIS ARMS SEEKING PROTECTION! FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY LIFE, I FELT I NEEDED SOMEONE TO TAKE CARE OF ME!



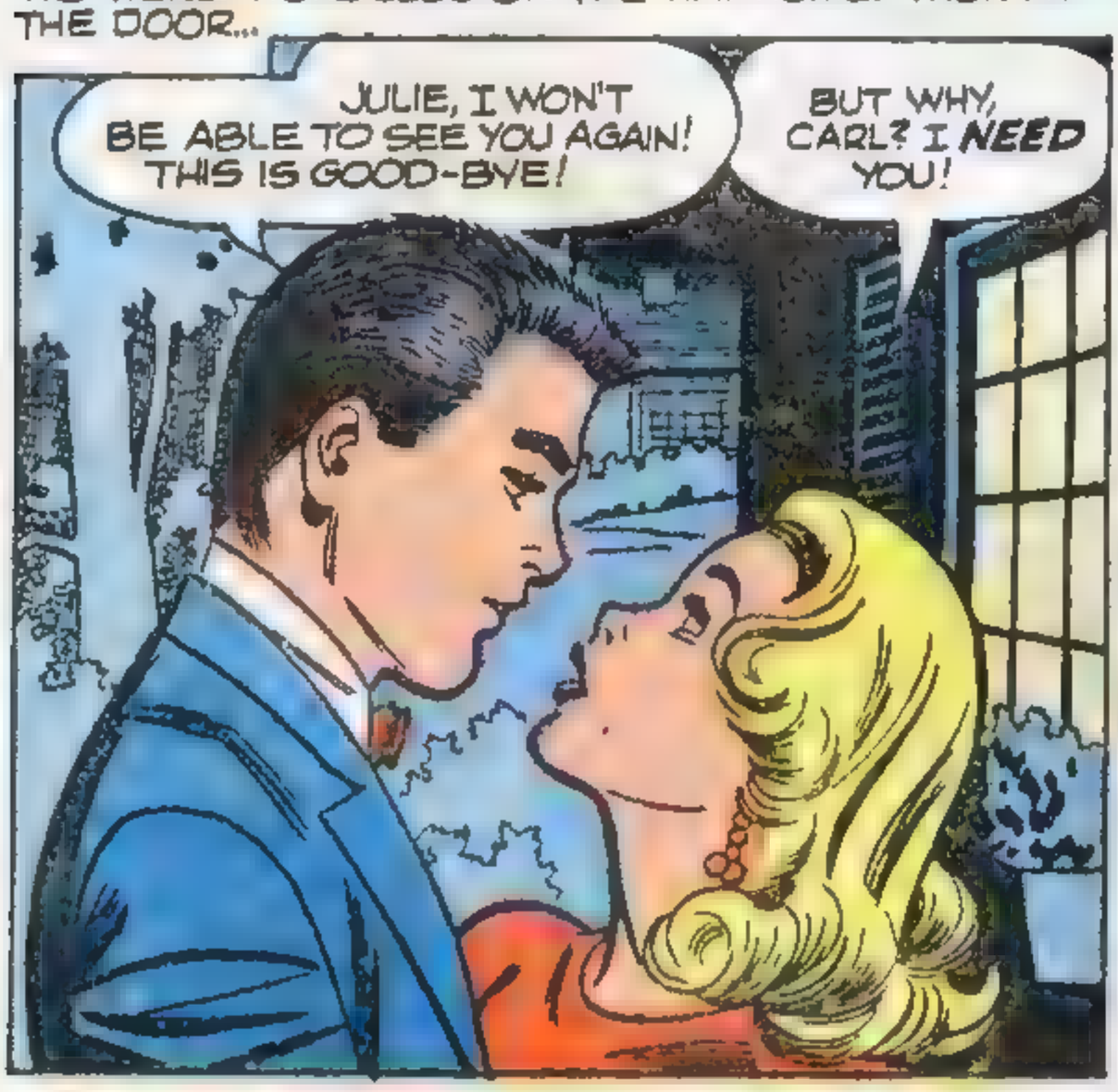
BUT THAT WASN'T WHY I WAS CRYING! I LIFTED MY LIPS TO FIND HIS...



I REALIZED THE TRUTH! I WAS IN LOVE WITH CARL... AND DIDN'T KNOW HOW TO TELL HIM!



WE WERE WORDLESS ON THE WAY HOME! THEN AT THE DOOR...



I TOSSED AND TURNED ALL NIGHT! SUDDENLY MY CAREER WASN'T IMPORTANT TO ME! THERE WAS ONLY ONE THING THAT WAS... CARL'S LOVE!

HE DOESN'T LOVE ME! HE WAS EVEN SORRY HE KISSED ME! HE'S JUST GIVEN UP ON ME, BECAUSE I'LL NEVER MAKE A GOOD SINGER!

THE NEXT MORNING THERE WAS ONLY ONE THING TO DO... AND I DID IT!

HEY, MISS! YOU CAN'T COME IN HERE!

OH, CAN'T I? WATCH!

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CARL! WHY WON'T YOU SEE ME ANY MORE?

BECAUSE I'VE FALLEN IN LOVE WITH YOU AND YOU DON'T BELIEVE IN LOVE OR ANYTHING EXCEPT YOUR CAREER!

IS THAT SO? WELL, I *DID* BELIEVE THAT... BUT IT'S NOT IMPORTANT ANY MORE! *YOU ARE!*

HOLD IT! DON'T GO AWAY!

DARLING, I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT *LIVING* WAS UNTIL I MET *YOU!* *YOU'RE* ALL I WANT!

AND *YOU'RE* ALL *I* WANT! ISN'T IT WONDERFUL WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU FALL IN LOVE?

I'D TRADE ALL MY SUCCESS JUST TO BE IN LOVE LIKE THAT! IT'S A RARE THING!

YEAH! JUST LIKE ON THE TV SCREEN, EH, BOSS?

The End

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ATTENDING AN OUT OF TOWN COLLEGE WAS A GAY, CAREFREE LIFE, WHICH FORTUNATELY MY FAMILY COULD WELL AFFORD! THE SET I MOVED IN WAS THE WEALTHIEST, AND SO FOR ME, IT WAS A CONTINUOUS ROUND OF FUN AND GOOD TIMES!

MY one and ONLY!

BUT YOU CAN'T LEAVE SO EARLY, GINNY!

I'VE GOT TO, BOB! I'VE ATTENDED FOUR PARTIES SO FAR THIS WEEK, AND THAT'S ABOVE PAR, EVEN FOR *ME!*

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I'LL LET YOU GO THIS TIME, BUT REMEMBER, WE'RE GOING TO THE CLUB SATURDAY NIGHT!

ALL RIGHT, BOB...

MINUTES LATER, I WAS ON MY WAY, WHEN OUT OF DARKNESS, GLARING LIGHTS SUDDENLY STABBED MY WAY...

THE FOOL... HE'S ON THE WRONG SIDE!

SCREEEECH!

IT WAS A MOST NARROW ESCAPE, AND DURING THE NEXT FEW MOMENTS, I REMEMBERED LITTLE! THEN SOMEONE WAS SHAKING ME, HIS VOICE CLOSE TO MY EAR...

YOU ALL RIGHT, MISS?

I...I SUPPOSE SO...

I WAS RIGHT BEHIND HIM...THERE WASN'T ANYTHING I COULD DO...

IT WAS KIND OF YOU TO STOP!

HOW ABOUT A CUP OF COFFEE? THERE'S A DINER ACROSS THE ROAD! IT'LL DO YOU GOOD!

THANKS!

DENNIS HOWARD WAS HIS NAME...HE OPERATED A SMALL ELECTRICAL SHOP IN TOWN, HAD SERVED IN THE WAR IN KOREA AND WAS HAPPY TO BE HOME...THESE AND OTHER THINGS I LEARNED AS WE SAT TOGETHER IN THE DINER'S COZY WARMTH...

THAT'S THE STORY OF MY LIFE, DULL AS IT MAY BE!

BUT IT ISN'T DULL! NOT THE LEAST BIT, DENNIS!

HE INSISTED ON DRIVING ME BACK TO THE DORM, AND THEN TWO NIGHTS LATER A MESSENGER DELIVERED A BOX OF LONG-STEMMED ROSES...NATURALLY, THE GIRLS CROWDED AROUND...

YOU'VE BEEN HOLDING OUT, GINNY! WHO'S THE NEW ADMIRER?

I'M NOT SURE, CAROL...

IT'S FROM DENNIS! HE'D LIKE TO SEE ME AGAIN! WOULD I MEET HIM AT THE DINER...?

I KEPT THE APPOINTMENT... DENNIS WAS FAR DIFFERENT FROM THE RICH, SPOILED YOUNG MEN OF MY OWN SET... AND I WAS GLAD THAT I HAD COME...

THE ROSES WERE LOVELY, BUT YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE SPENT ALL THAT MONEY!

BUT I WANTED TO GET THEM FOR YOU! A BEAUTIFUL GIRL DESERVES NOTHING BUT THE BEST!

WE WENT TO A CARNIVAL, AND IT HAD BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I HAD SO MUCH FUN! THERE WERE CUSTARD CONES, COTTON CANDY, AND THE GAMES OF CHANCE...

HERE YOU ARE, MISS!

I'LL KEEP IT IN MY ROOM, DENNIS... AND I'LL ALWAYS... TREASURE IT!

THERE WAS THE RIDE ON THE FERRIS WHEEL... HIGH UP AMONG THE STARS THEMSELVES...

HAVING FUN, GINNY?

YES... THIS IS ONE OF THE HAPPIEST TIMES I CAN REMEMBER... IT'S SO PLEASANT... SO RELAXING...

I TURNED, AND AS WE GAZED INTO EACH OTHER'S EYES, I FELT MYSELF DRAWN TO HIM! SLOWLY OUR LIPS MET, AND IN THAT SILENT MOMENT, TIME ITSELF STOOD STILL...

I'VE ALWAYS DREAMED OF MEETING A GIRL LIKE YOU, GINNY! I CAN'T OFFER YOU MUCH AS YET, AND I KNOW YOU'RE USED TO THE BEST, BUT I *DO* LOVE YOU!

DENNIS... YOU MUSTN'T...

DON'T SAY ANYTHING NOW, DARLING! I'M NOT ASKING FOR ANY PROMISES... EXCEPT ONE... THAT YOU'LL LET ME SEE YOU AGAIN!

YES, DENNIS... I WILL!

I WENT ON SEEING DENNIS, BUT IN SECRECY! WAS IT SHAME, FALSE PRIDE, THAT KEPT ME FROM SPEAKING OUT? I WONDERED ABOUT THESE THINGS, AND MY GIRL FRIENDS WERE WONDERING, TOO...

COME OFF IT, GINNY! WHO IS HE?

THERE MUST BE A REASON FOR ALL THIS SECRECY!

I KNOW... PERHAPS HE'S A NOTORIOUS JEWEL THIEF HIDING FROM THE POLICE!

DON'T JOKE, CAROL! DENNIS ISN'T ANYTHING LIKE THAT!

HE'S AN IMPORTANT EXECUTIVE IN ELECTRONICS! NATURALLY HE'S KEPT VERY BUSY! IT'S EASIER THAT I MEET HIM SOMEWHERE... THAT'S ALL THERE IS TO IT!

I LIED ABOUT DENNIS, AND I KNOW WHY NOW! I *AM* ASHAMED OF HIM! THE FACT THAT HE OWNS A LITTLE SHOP... THAT HE ISN'T SOMEONE IMPORTANT... DOES MEAN SOMETHING, AFTER ALL!

WHEN I JOINED HIM AT OUR FAVORITE MEETING PLACE, MY TROUBLED STATE WAS FAIRLY OBVIOUS...

WHAT IS IT, GINNY? TELL ME!

I WOULDN'T KNOW WHERE TO BEGIN...

THEN I LOOKED UP, AND WHAT I SAW BROUGHT QUICK-RISING PANIC...

GINNY... WHAT'S WRONG?

WHY, HERE YOU ARE, GINNY! WHAT A PLEASANT SURPRISE!

YOU FOLLOWED ME!

YOU HAD US DYING WITH CURIOSITY, AND WE SIMPLY HAD TO MEET YOUR CHARMING EXECUTIVE!

EXECUTIVE.. ME?

GINNY HAS BEEN TELLING US ALL ABOUT YOU... I BELIEVE IT WAS ELECTRONICS, SHE SAID... AND YOU WERE PRESIDENT OR PERHAPS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD!

GINNY TOLD YOU THAT?

I HEARD ALL I COULD TAKE AND WHEN I SPOKE UP, IT WAS LIKE SEEING THINGS FOR THE FIRST TIME...

YOU'VE SAID ENOUGH, CAROL! I WON'T DENY SAYING THOSE THINGS ABOUT DENNIS! PERHAPS I'LL NEVER LIVE THEM DOWN, BUT I'M GOING TO SAY SOMETHING ELSE...

IT'S TRUE I WAS ASHAMED OF DENNIS, BUT NOW IT'S *MY* SHAME AND I MIGHT ADD, *OUR* SHAME! WE'RE SNOBS, CAROL, AND WE'RE NOT DESERVING OF THE FRIENDSHIP OF PEOPLE LIKE DENNIS! WE'RE SPOILED, CONCEITED FOOLS!

OF ALL THE CRUST...

COME ON, GIRLS... LET'S GO! I KNOW WHEN I'M NOT WANTED!

WHEN THEY WERE GONE, I FORCED MYSELF TO FACE DENNIS'S SCORN, BUT WHEN OUR EYES MET, I FOUND HIM WITHOUT ANGER...

I'M GLAD YOU SPOKE UP, GINNY! I KNOW YOU'RE TELLING THE TRUTH! IT TOOK REAL COURAGE!

OH, DENNIS... MY DARLING!

CAN YOU EVER FORGIVE ME? FORGET THE TERRIBLE THINGS I THOUGHT? MY SENSE OF VALUES WAS SO WARPED, BUT I SEE THINGS CLEARLY NOW... AND I *DO* LOVE YOU SO!

WE WERE MARRIED WHEN I GRADUATED IN JUNE, AND ON THIS MOST MOMENTOUS DAY, AS OUR LIPS MET, I KNEW THAT I HAD MADE THE RIGHT CHOICE! I WAS PROUD OF MY HUSBAND AND I WAS CONFIDENT TOO...! AS ONLY A WOMAN KNOWS, I KNEW THAT HAPPINESS AND THE BETTER THINGS IN LIFE WOULD BE OURS!

The End

MEDICAL RESEARCH DISCOVERS TREATMENT FOR PIMPLES

ACNE, TEEN-AGE PIMPLES, SURFACE SKIN BLEMISHES and IRRITATIONS!

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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH REVEALS NEGLECT CAUSE OF MANY SKIN TROUBLES

Skin Specialists and Medical statistics tell us that broken out skin usually occurs from adolescence and can continue on through adulthood. Adolescents often carry these scars throughout their life. Many never get over the "feeling of embarrassment" and are always conscious of their appearance and complexion. Persistent cases of "bad skin" sometimes continue on through adulthood. In this stage of life, the responsibilities of earning a living and meeting people are essential if you are to climb the ladder of success in your job. It is doubly important to give your skin problems *immediate care.* Physicians state that to neglect your skin may prolong your skin troubles and make it more difficult to clear up. And, there is no better time to get pimples under control than NOW!

DON'T LET UGLY PIMPLES BLEMISH YOUR PERSONALITY, RUIN YOUR CONFIDENCE OR SPOIL YOUR TALENTS!

Laboratory analysis using special microscopes gives us the scientific facts regarding those unsightly pimples. High-powered lenses show your skin consists of several outer layers. Projecting through this epidermis, are hairs, the ducts of the sweat glands and the tiny tubes of the sebaceous glands which supply the skin with oil to keep it soft and pliable. Skin specialists will tell you that many skin eruptions can often be traced to an over-secretion, of oil from the sebaceous glands. As a result of this over-secretion, more oil than is normally required by the skin is deposited on the outside of the skin. Unless special care is taken, this excessive oil forms an oily coating which is a catch-all for all foreign matter in the air. When dust, dirt, lint, etc. become embedded into the tiny skin openings and block them up, they can cause the pores to become enlarged and therefore even more susceptible to additional dirt and dust. These enlarged, blocked up pores may form blackheads as soon as they become infected and bring you the worry, despair, embarrassment and humiliation of pimples, blackheads and other blemishes.

DON'T SPREAD INFECTION BY SQUEEZING PIMPLES AND BLACKHEADS

Clinical reports state that many people squeeze out pimples and blackheads with their fingers. This is unsanitary and may lead to the spread of the infection. This abuse may also inflame your skin and leave red welts and ugly looking blotches and bumps. As a result your face may be covered with pimples and blemishes. Soon you'll be sorry you ever squeezed or picked at your skin by using this unscientific method to get rid of skin eruptions.

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I can't FORGET YOU

BEN AND I HAD DATED FOR SEVERAL MONTHS, AND THEY WERE THE HAPPIEST MONTHS I HAD EVER KNOWN! WE HAD FUN NO MATTER WHAT WE DID, AND I WAS IN LOVE!

YOUR CHEEKS LOOK LIKE TWO PEACHES, MARGE! ARE YOU COLD?

NOT VERY, BUT I'D LIKE TO GO IN FOR A HOT DRINK!

MARGE, I'M GOING OUT OF TOWN TOMORROW! IT MIGHT BE FOR A FEW MONTHS! I HAVE TO ORGANIZE THE NEW PLANT IN INDIANA! IT ISN'T PERMANENT, BUT IT WILL BE A LONG TIME AWAY FROM YOU!

OH, BEN!

THE BOTTOM FELL OUT OF MY WORLD! LIVING JUST WASN'T IMPORTANT UNLESS THERE WAS BEN TO LOOK FORWARD TO AT THE END OF THE DAY...

I KNOW THIS MEANS A GREAT DEAL TO YOU, BEN! HAVE FUN... I HEAR THE MID-WESTERN GIRLS ARE VERY PRETTY...!

NONSENSE! I CAN'T FORGET ***YOU!***

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WILL YOU WRITE TO ME, MARGE? I'LL SEND MY ADDRESS...

YES, OF COURSE I WILL, BEN!

I'M NOT VERY GOOD AT LETTERS MYSELF, AND I'LL BE TERRIBLY BUSY, BUT YOUR LETTERS WILL MEAN SO MUCH TO ME!

I'LL WRITE EVERY DETAIL OF A DAY IN THE OFFICE! THERE WON'T BE MUCH ELSE I'D WRITE UNLESS I SAW A GOOD MOVIE!

WHEN BEN KISSED ME GOOD NIGHT I KNEW I WAS STARTING THE LONELIEST STRETCH I HAD KNOWN! I HAD BUILT SUCH A TIGHT LITTLE WORLD OF PLANS! TEARS SPRANG INTO MY EYES AS HE DREW ME TO HIM...

MARGE! WHAT'S WRONG?

I'M SORRY! I GUESS I JUST WASN'T PREPARED FOR YOUR GOING AWAY! I'LL MISS YOU!

THIS IS PART OF MY JOB! AS SOON AS THE PLANT IS IN WORKING ORDER, I'LL BE BACK! WE CAN START WHERE WE LEFT OFF!

OF COURSE, BEN! HAVE A SUCCESSFUL TRIP, DARLING!

THE FIRST WEEK WAS THE WORST! I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH MYSELF! BEN HAD WIRED ME HIS ADDRESS BUT THAT WAS ALL! I WAITED VAINLY FOR A LETTER! I HAD NO DATES...

NO LETTER YET?

NO, NOT A WORD, KAY! I GUESS HE WAS JUST TOO BUSY!

TWO MONTHS LATER...

MARGE, I NEED ANOTHER GIRL FOR A DATE TOMORROW NIGHT! HE'S VERY NICE AND WE'RE GOING DANCING! YOU JUST CAN'T STICK HERE EVERY NIGHT! YOU HAVEN'T HEARD A WORD FROM BEN IN TWO MONTHS!

I KNOW, KAY! I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT'S ANYTHING BUT WORK THAT'S KEEPING HIM BUSY, THOUGH!

IT DOESN'T TAKE *THAT* LONG TO WRITE, "I STILL LOVE YOU!" LOOK, MARGE, TAKE A DATE! AT LEAST GET YOURSELF AROUND AND SEEN!

BUT I LOVE BEN, AND I'M SURE HE FEELS THE SAME WAY ABOUT ME!

I WENT OUT WITH KAY ON A DOUBLE-DATE WONDERING IF BEN *HAD* MET SOMEONE ELSE...

WELL, MARGE, WHERE HAS KAY BEEN KEEPING YOU? I HAVEN'T EVER MET AS GOOD A DANCER ON A BLIND DATE!

THANK YOU!

HAVING A GOOD TIME, MARGE?

IT'S NICE TO GET OUT, KAY! BUT I CAN'T HONESTLY SAY I ENJOY ANY-THING WITHOUT BEN! I DON'T THINK I'LL DO IT AGAIN!

TWO DAYS LATER, THE FIRST LETTER CAME FROM BEN! HE HAD BEEN EXTREMELY BUSY NIGHT AND DAY...

WELL, DON'T TELL ME BEN HAS BROKEN DOWN AND WRITTEN YOU A LETTER?

YES, KAY, HE *HAS!* AND HE REALLY *HAS* BEEN BUSY! I KNOW YOU DON'T BELIEVE IT, BUT *I* DO!

UNION

I KNEW THE LETTER BY HEART WITHIN AN HOUR! EVERY LOOK WAS ETCHED ON MY HEART, ESPECIALLY THE CLOSING WORDS... "I CAN'T FORGET YOU...!"

A WEEK LATER, I RECEIVED A TELEGRAM AT WORK!

arriving tonite- please wait for my call Ben

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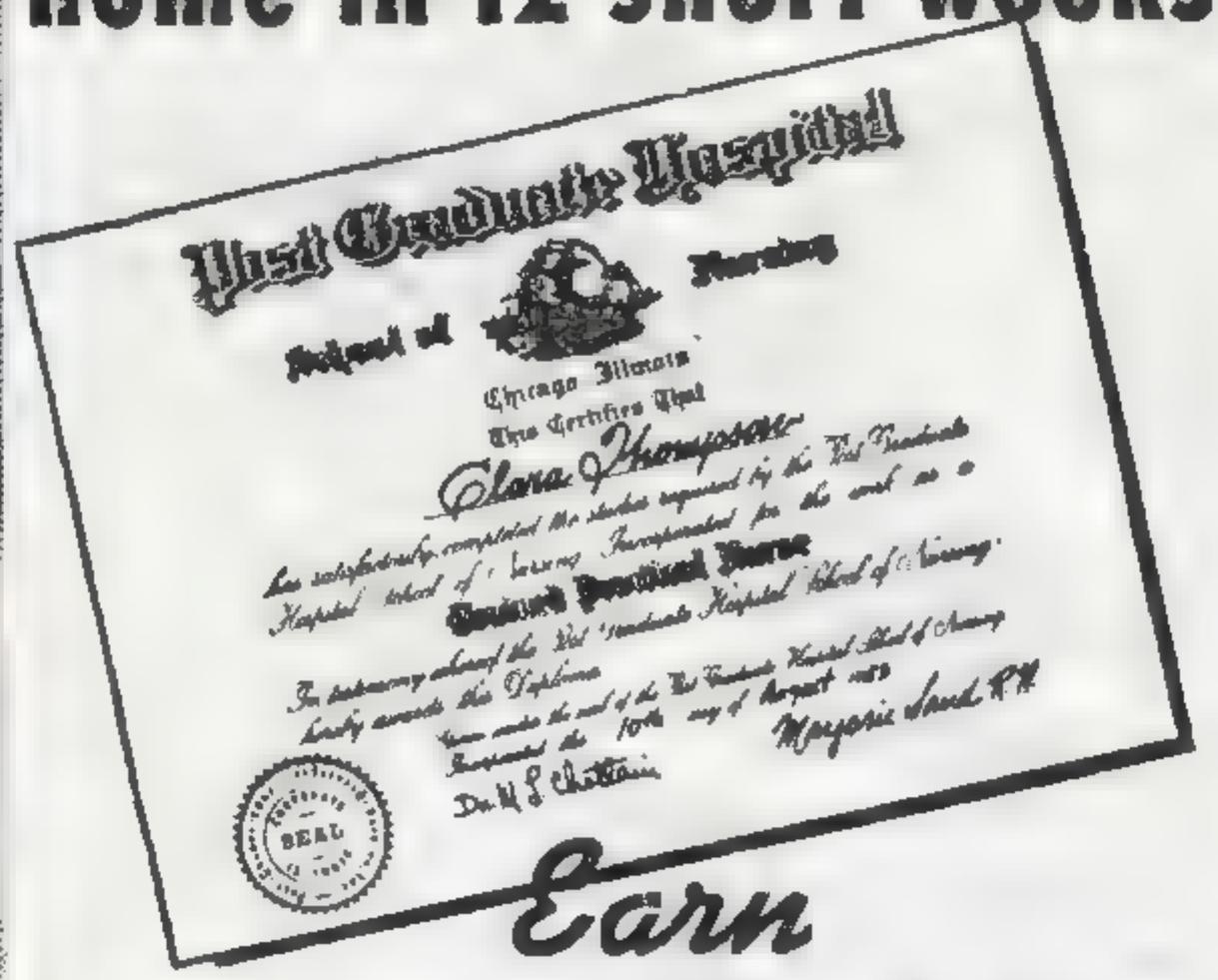

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I WAS NERVOUS ABOUT SEEING BEN AGAIN! HIS TELEGRAM GAVE ME NO INCLINATION OF HOW I STOOD! PERHAPS HE HAD SOMETHING TO TELL ME THAT I DID NOT WANT TO HEAR...

SIMMER DOWN, MARGE! I'LL BE BACK ABOUT ELEVEN! THAT SHOULD GIVE YOU PLENTY OF TIME TO FIND OUT HOW YOU STAND!

THANKS, KAY!

BEN RANG THE BELL ABOUT TEN O'CLOCK! BY THEN I WAS HARDLY ABLE TO TALK, I WAS SO ANXIOUS! BUT ONE LOOK AT HIM AND ALL MY FEELINGS FOR HIM RETURNED...

HELLO, MARGE!

COME IN, BEN! IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU!

YOU'RE ANGRY BECAUSE I DIDN'T WRITE! I DON'T BLAME YOU! I CAN ONLY ASK YOU TO BELIEVE THAT AFTER A DAY AND NIGHT OF REALLY HARD WORK, I JUST ACHED FOR SLEEP! FORGIVE ME!

I FORGIVE YOU, BEN!

I WAS ALMOST FORMAL WHEN I SPOKE TO BEN! I WAS SO AFRAID TO SHOW HOW MUCH I HAD MISSED HIM, JUST IN CASE SOMETHING ***HAD*** HAPPENED...

ARE YOU PLANNING TO STAY, OR DO YOU HAVE TO TO GO BACK?

I'VE BEEN SO WORRIED, COMING BACK! HAVE YOU... I MEAN, HAVE YOU ***MET*** ANYONE? I MAY NOT HAVE WRITTEN, BUT I HAVE PLANS!

I ***DO*** HAVE TO GO BACK, BUT I WANT TO TAKE YOU ***WITH ME!*** I WAS LOOKING FOR A PLACE WHERE WE COULD LIVE!

OH, BEN! I WAS SO WORRIED, THAT I HAD LOST YOU!

THE WORLD BECAME RADIANT FOR ME WHEN BEN TOOK ME IN HIS ARMS! I KNEW HOW RIGHT I HAD BEEN TO WAIT FOR HIM!

MARGE, DARLING! HOW I'VE MISSED YOU!

BY THE TIME KAY CAME IN, BEN AND I WERE ENGAGED, RING AND ALL! I WAS THE HAPPIEST GIRL IN THE WORLD!

COME IN, KAY! WE WANT YOU TO BE THE ***FIRST*** TO KNOW!

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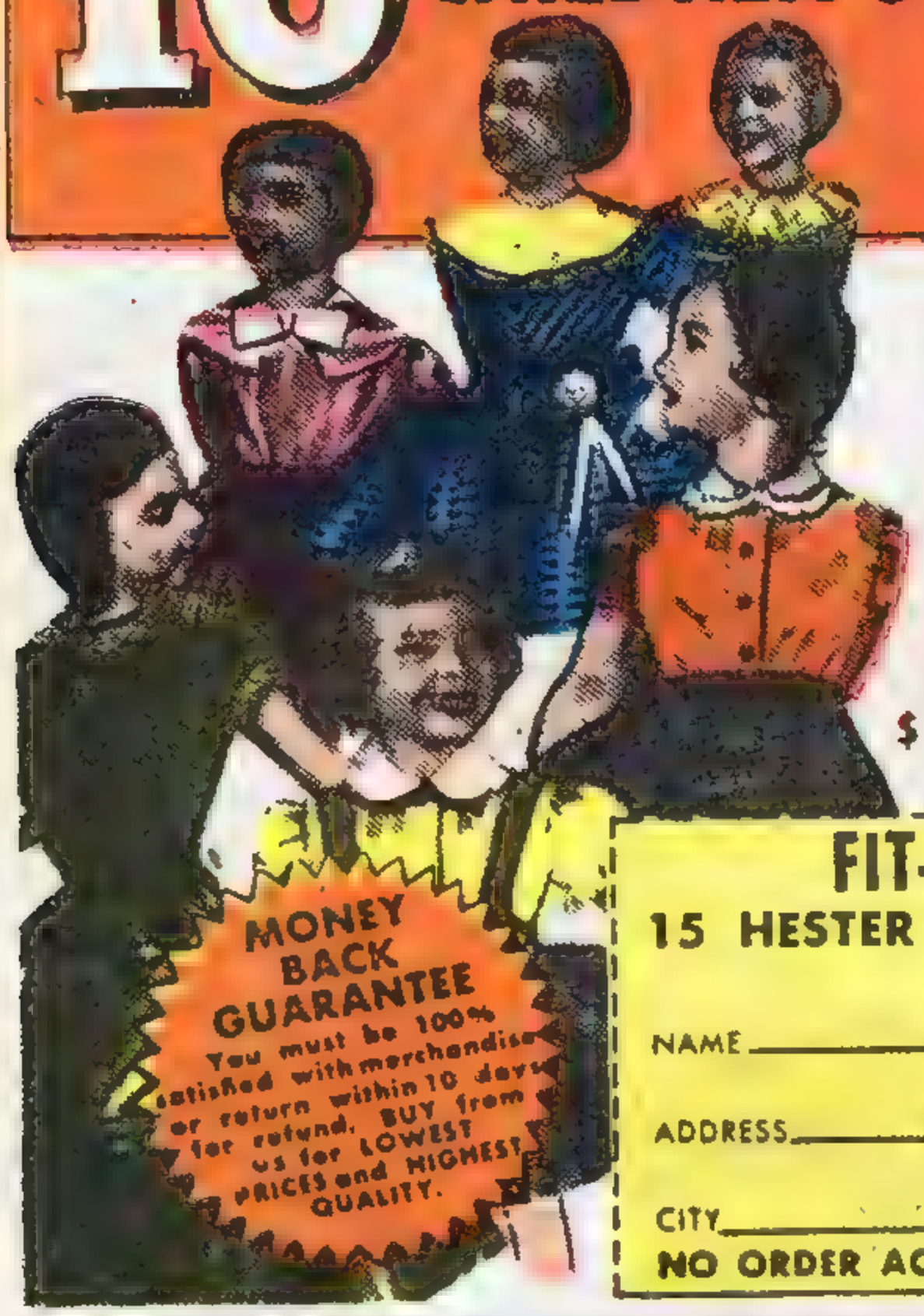

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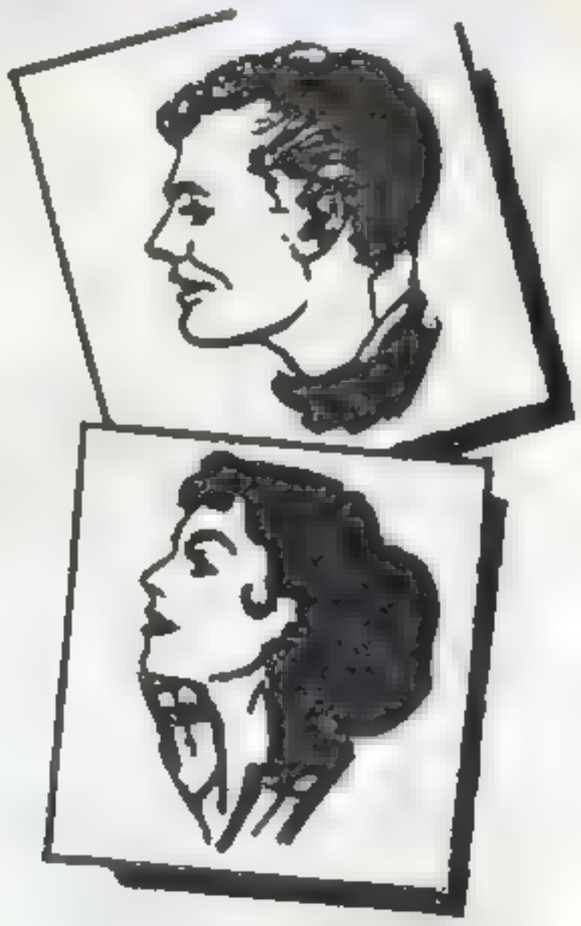

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"Here!" I bellowed from under a car and crawled out. The smile faded when I saw her companion.

"This is Carlton. He's going to spend a few weeks. Carlton, this is Johnny Creighton. You've heard enough about him to be old friends," Vicki said warmly.

"Yes. You were right, Victoria. He does have a rugged quality," Carlton returned and ignored my extended hand.

I lowered my arm and rubbed my hand over my overalls.

"You'll have the most charming company in the world for a few weeks," I said, not daring to look at his arrogant profile for fear I'd give into the desire to rearrange it.

"Johnny, what a nice thing for you to say," Vicki replied, finally sensing the tension between Thorndike and me.

"Sorry to cut the conversation short, but I've got to finish this job," I mumbled, feeling the blood rush to my face. "See you around, Vicki," I finished and turned away, hurrying up the ramp before she could answer.

"I'll be waiting," she called at my back, but I couldn't look around. Tears of helpless rage brimmed in my eyes and I swallowed them back. Nobody needed to say it. We both knew this was the end of a very old romance.

When Prof. Andrews told me I had been awarded the four year scholarship to the university's school of architectural design, I suppose I should have let out a loud whoop of joy. I think I was more relieved than happy. It meant getting away from all the people and places

that reminded me of Vicki. Now her letters could be returned unopened and unread and I could forget the whole thing once and for all.

Her last letter was from Venice, Italy. She was a strange girl, leaving school in the middle of examinations and going to Europe. Well, there would be a lot of nice, young millionaires' sons just waiting for a girl like Vicki to walk on board their yachts.

Some people say architects are a race unto themselves. I guess I must have looked a little mad in my battered tweed jacket, in shreds at the elbows with a three-day or three-weeks growth of beard. Sometimes I even forgot to comb my hair or find out what day it was, but I was learning more architecture than I had dreamed existed in books and in men's imaginations. This was the most exciting time of my life, except for the dull pain called Vicki that was constantly there like a hunger pang.

Yesterday ended my third year. I was standing by myself on the steps of the library when a small figure emerged out of the darkness.

"Vicki!" I finally managed to say.

"Yes, darling," she replied softly putting her arms around my neck. "The last time I told you I'd be waiting you wouldn't listen, but that was three years ago. Perhaps if I say it a hundred times every day for the next year, you'll believe it."

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WHEN Love WALKED IN

IS THERE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION YOU'D LIKE, MISS MASON?

I THINK NOT! AS A MATTER OF FACT, YOU COULDN'T HAVE COME AT A BETTER TIME!

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IT WAS A MATTER OF PURE CHANCE! FOR TWO YEARS, AS AN INTERVIEWER FOR AN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, I HAD TALKED TO NUMEROUS MALE APPLICANTS, BUT NONE HAD AS ELECTRIFYING AN EFFECT ON ME AS YOUNG, HANDSOME FRANK BELLOWS...

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ONE OF THE FINEST ENGINEERING FIRMS CALLED IN ONLY AN HOUR AGO, AND FROM YOUR RESUME, I'D SAY YOU WERE JUST THE ENGINEER THEY WERE LOOKING FOR!

THAT SOUNDS GREAT!

HERE IS THEIR ADDRESS! GO THERE IMMEDIATELY... AND THE BEST OF LUCK!

I'M ON MY WAY... AND THANKS FOR EVERYTHING!

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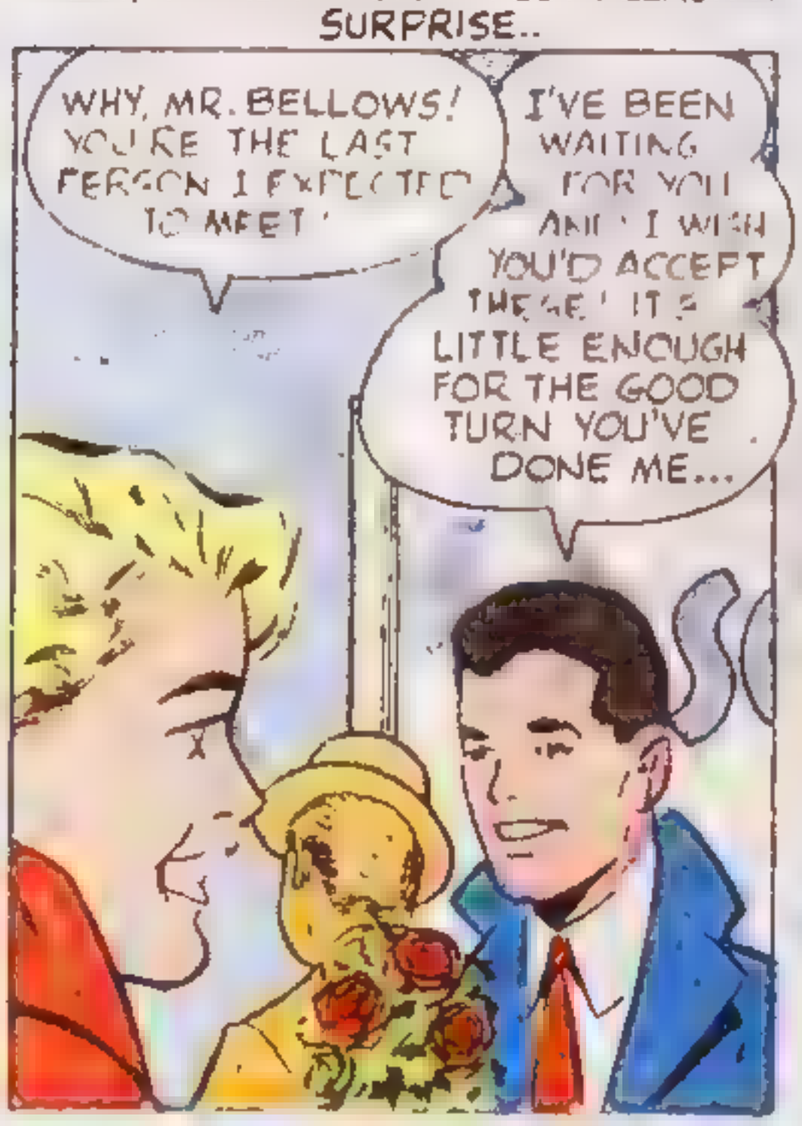
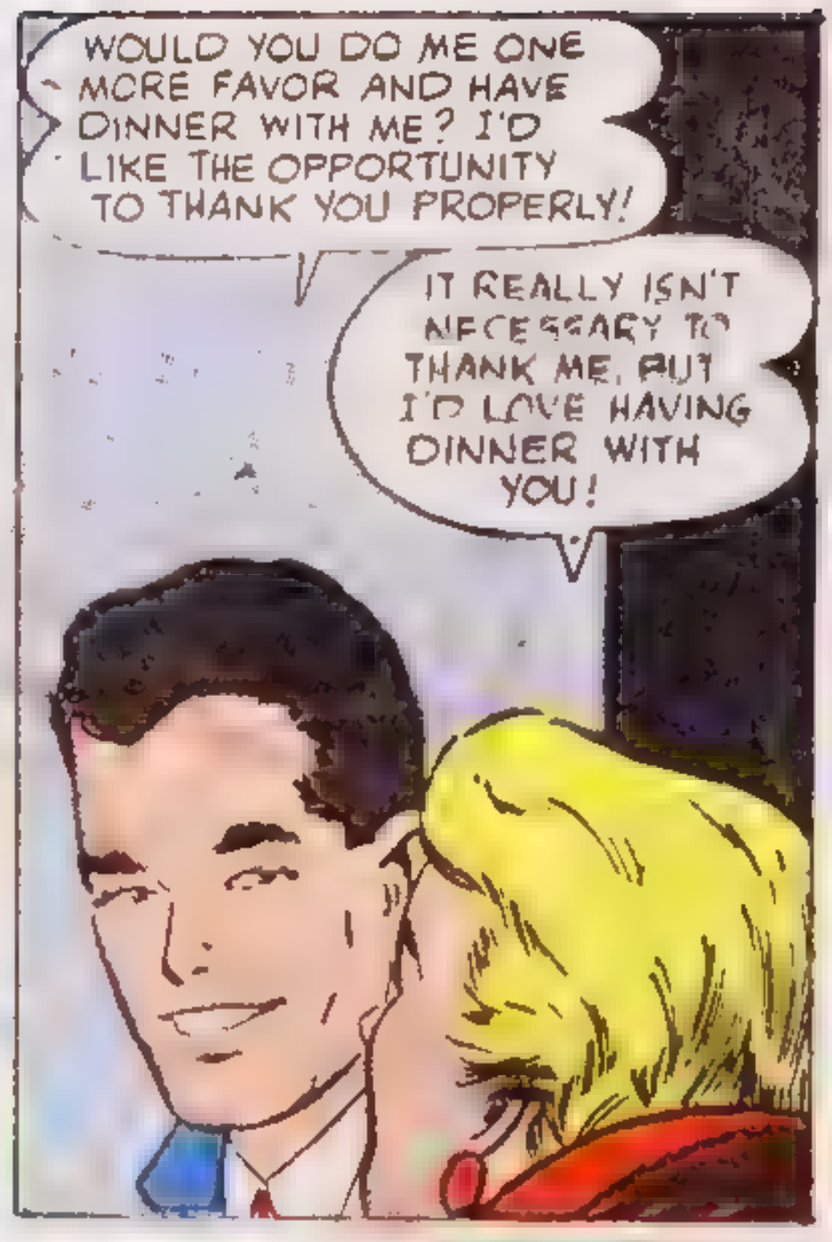
FRANK CALLED BACK LATER TO SAY THAT HE LANDED THE JOB, AND I FELT QUITE PLEASED! HOWEVER, AS THE DAY PASSED, I FOUND MYSELF UNABLE TO SHAKE HIM FROM MY THOUGHTS...

BUT WHEN I LEFT THE OFFICE THAT NIGHT, I WAS IN FOR A MOST PLEASANT SURPRISE..

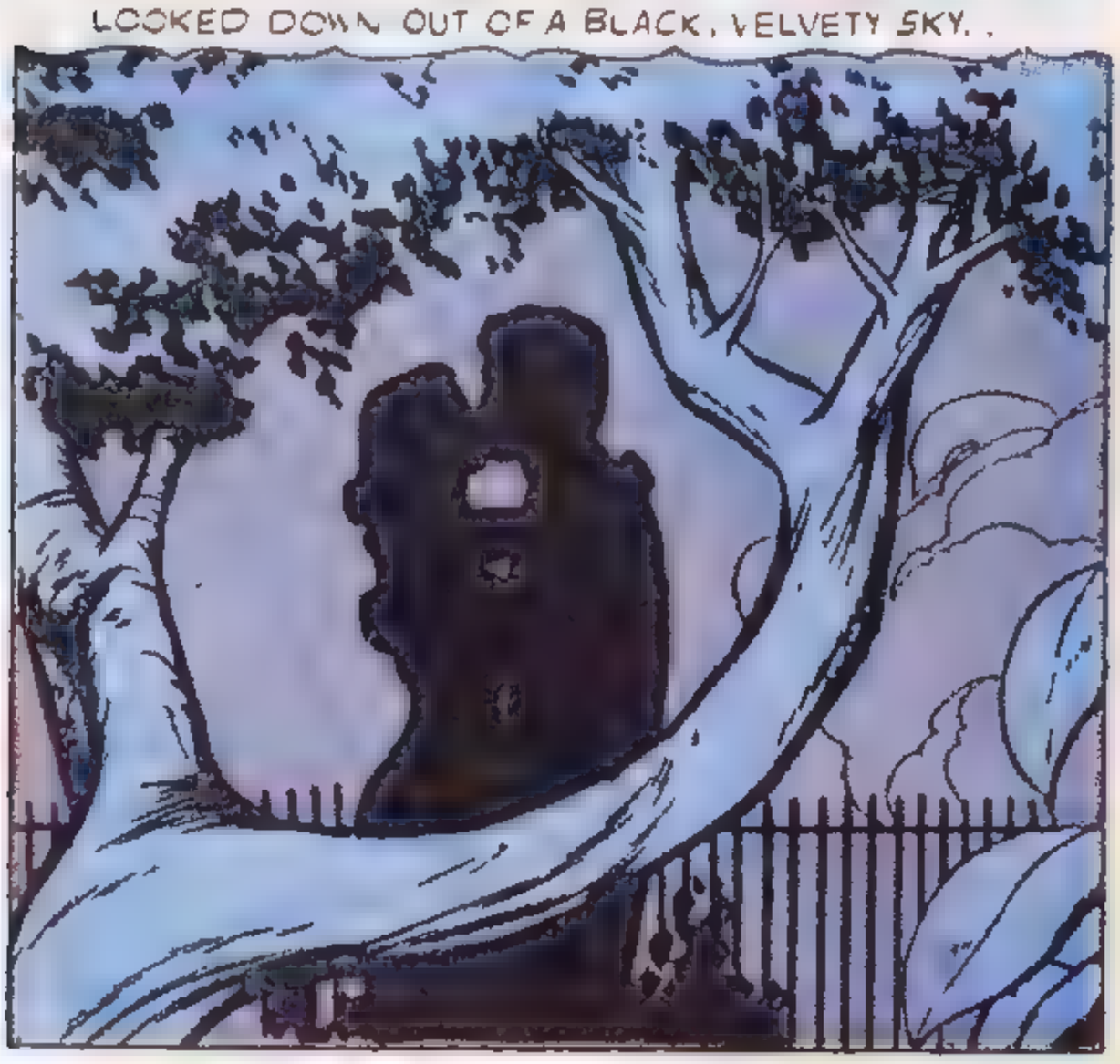

WHY, MR. BELLOWS! YOU'RE THE LAST PERSON I EXPECTED TO MEET!
I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU AND I WISH YOU'D ACCEPT THESE! IT'S LITTLE ENOUGH FOR THE GOOD TURN YOU'VE DONE ME...


WOULD YOU DO ME ONE MORE FAVOR AND HAVE DINNER WITH ME? I'D LIKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO THANK YOU PROPERLY!
IT REALLY ISN'T NECESSARY TO THANK ME, BUT I'D LOVE HAVING DINNER WITH YOU!

DINNER WITH FRANK WAS A MOST PLEASANT EXPERIENCE! HE TOLD ME OF HIS BOYHOOD IN OHIO HIS AMBITIONS HIS PLANS FOR THE FUTURE...

THERE WERE MORE DATES AFTER THAT, AND I LOOKED FORWARD TO THEM WITH MOUNTING EAGERNESS...

OUR FIRST KISS FOLLOWED WHILE A LOVERS' MOON LOOKED DOWN OUT OF A BLACK, VELVETY SKY..



AND IT WAS SO ACCIDENTAL.. YOUR COMING TO OUR AGENCY, AND MY GETTING TO INTERVIEW YOU! WE MAY NEVER HAVE MET!

BUT WE DID, AND I CONSIDER IT THE LUCKIEST THING THAT HAS HAPPENED TO ME!

TAKE THE JOB, FOR EXAMPLE! IT'S THE BEST I'VE HAD, PEG! IT'S A GOOD OUTFIT AND I KNOW I CAN GROW WITH IT!

THAT'S WONDERFUL, FRANK!

AND THERE'S PLENTY OF ROOM FOR PROMOTION! I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR A CHANCE LIKE THIS FOR A WHILE NOW! MAYBE THIS TIME I'VE REALLY FOUND IT!

I WAS A BIT DISTURBED BY FRANK'S ENTHUSIASM ABOUT THE JOB! I WAS GLAD HE WAS HAPPY WITH HIS POSITION, BUT THE EMPHASIS WAS SO PRONOUNCED THAT I BEGAN TO WONDER...

I WONDER WHAT HE REALLY MEANT WHEN HE SAID OUR MEETING WAS THE LUCKIEST THING THAT EVER HAPPENED TO HIM? WAS HE REFERRING TO ME OR THE JOB?

A MOMENT LATER, THE PHONE RANG, AND IT WAS FRANK! THERE WAS A VIBRANT NOTE OF EXCITEMENT TO HIS VOICE...

I'VE GOT NEWS, PEG! BIG, EXCITING NEWS!

WHAT IS IT?

THE CHANCE I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR! THE COMPANY HAS REALLY COME THROUGH FOR ME! THEY'RE SENDING ME TO SOUTH AMERICA!

SOUTH AMERICA...?

ISN'T IT GREAT, PEG?

YES, FRANK! IT'S WONDERFUL!

HE CANCELLED OUR DATE FOR THE EVENING! HIS DEPARTURE WAS SCHEDULED WITHIN THE WEEK, AND THERE WAS PACKING AND SHOPPING TO BE DONE! THE HAPPINESS THAT HAD COME TO ME WITH SUCH DRAMATIC SUDDENNESS, WAS PASSING ME BY WITH EQUAL SPEED...

WHY DOES IT HAVE TO BE THIS WAY? PERHAPS IT WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER IF WE HADN'T MET AFTER ALL...

MY WORKING FOR AN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY AND HIS NEED FOR A JOB BROUGHT US TOGETHER... NOW THE SAME JOB IS DRIVING US APART...

ANOTHER DAY PASSED! THEN WHEN I LEFT THE OFFICE THAT EVENING, A FAMILIAR SCENE WAS RE-ENACTED...

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HOW VERY THOUGHTFUL, FRANK! IT'S A LOVELY GOING-AWAY PRESENT! WILL YOU WRITE?

I'M TERRIBLE WHEN IT COMES TO CORRESPONDENCE! THE CHANCES ARE YOU WON'T GET A SINGLE LETTER FROM ME!

BUT YOU GOT ME MY JOB, AND I'D LIKE TO OFFER YOU ONE IN RETURN! A PERMANENT POSITION AS MY LOVING WIFE! WHAT DO YOU SAY, DARLING?

OH, FRANK...

OF COURSE MY ANSWER WAS YES! THERE WAS NOTHING MORE I WANTED IN LIFE THAN TO BE FRANK'S WIFE! THIS WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT JOB OF ALL, BUT I HAD NO DOUBTS OF THE OUTCOME! THERE WAS BUT ONE IMPORTANT QUALIFICATION FOR MARRIAGE... LOVE...AND WE BOTH HAD PLENTY OF THAT!

The End

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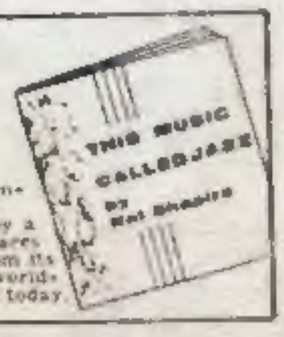

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